

# Policy change quells concerns about fire

By VALERIE EVENDEN  
Staff writer

**VENICE** — An improvement in emergency fire call responses was made at a heated meeting of the Venice City Council Tuesday.

A pumper truck will be immediately dispatched when a fire call is made. Because of false alarms and crank calls that cost the city money, previous policy sent policeman to the scene first to determine if a fire existed.

**THE ALTERNATIVE** adopted at Tuesday's council meeting followed derisive and heated remarks focusing on Sunday's fire which destroyed three Weaver Street homes.

Questions, comments and accusations expressed bitterness about area news reports on the fire. The reports cited acts by a crowd at the fire scene.

**"SLOW" RESPONSE** by the Venice Volunteer Fire Department and the availability of only one pumper were criticized by several of the 40 persons jammed into the council chambers. Most of the loud and aggressive comments were directed to Mayor Tyrone Echols and Fire Chief Willie Dumas.

Resident Gay Garrett, a witness to the fire, demanded to know the source of a report in an area daily newspaper which alleged bystanders hampered the work of firefighters.

**"THOSE IN THE AREA** were helping to put out the fire and get people out of the houses, not to interfere with firefighters," she said. Her remarks drew approving comments from the audience.

The mayor said he did not know the source of the newspaper reports. Also, the city's other pumper developed a clutch problem and could not be used.

"How many firefighters do we have?" she asked Dumas.

"Eighteen," Dumas replied.

"Why then were there only three firemen out there?" Mrs. Garrett asked.

"Perhaps you don't know that you pay for one man on duty at the fire station and the other 18 are not paid to stay in town all the time and wait for a fire call," Dumas said.

**"THEY ARE VOLUNTEERS** and some didn't get there right away. Most were in bed at that time of night and had to get dressed. There were 14 firemen (eventually) at the fire."

Close proximity of the three frame homes destroyed in the blaze also was a contributing factor, Dumas said.

Handling of the pumper truck which did arrive at the fire also was loudly criticized by the audience. The truck was taken to a hydrant some distance from the fire after several people removed the nozzles of the booster reels and started unwinding the lines, meanwhile screaming at the driver for water.

**DUMAS EXPLAINED** the method of reeling hoses requires a truck to drop the hoses and go past a fire to the next hydrant while the hoses are being played backward in a reverse sequence.

His explanation failed to satisfy the crowd, with some residents

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**DESOLATE REMAINS** of one of three houses destroyed by fire at 1:15 a.m. Sunday in the 400 block of Weaver Street, Venice. The families of Patricia Wood and Patsy Logan lived here at 407 Weaver St., a two-apartment duplex. Neighboring

dwelling at 403 and 411 Weaver also were demolished and other homes were threatened when the wind shifted. No one was injured in the blaze. Granite City and Madison firemen assisted the Venice firefighters.

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### Local candidates file for November school board elections

Petition filing for local school board elections began Monday and will continue through Monday, Aug. 26.

Elections will be held Nov. 5 for seats on the Granite City, Madison and Venice school boards, as well as the Belleville Area College Board of Trustees.

**RESIDENTS OF PAC District 522** are also being asked to support a 14-

cent tax increase for the college, of which 53 percent would go to the Granite City Campus.

In Granite City, only three candidates had filed petitions as of Wednesday morning for four seats.

Incumbents Alan Crider and Monroe Worthen have filed, as has Gerald McKechnan, 2640 Angela Drive.

**RUTH LAHR**, another incumbent,

has not yet filed. Tom Miosky has indicated he will not seek re-election.

Four candidates have filed in Venice, including incumbents Alvester Salmond, Kirk Gardier and David Levy. Joe Willie Roberts, 217 Hill St., Eagle Park, also is seeking a seat on the board.

Incumbent George Wade is planning to seek re-election and has pick-

ed up a petition, but had not yet filed Wednesday.

**THE FIVE** announced candidates will vie for four seats on the board. All are four-year terms.

Four incumbent Madison School Board members have filed petitions for re-election on Nov. 5, and five residents have picked up petitions but have not filed yet.

Board members seeking re-

election are James E. Newsome, Billie Bosworth, Ed Dohnal and Ed Warchol.

**RESIDENTS WHO** have petitions and have not filed as yet include John Hamm, Michael Masek, Jennifer Marsala, Don Bridick and Andy Economy.

The current board president, Paul Bargiel, announced at the Aug. 15 school board meeting he will not

seek re-election. Two incumbents on the Belleville Area College Board of Trustees have filed petitions so far this week.

Curt Eckert and Avery Schermer are hoping to return to their six-year posts.

**DR. JAMES VEST** holds an unexpired two-year position on the board. He has not filed a petition to run for the trusteeship yet.

### Opposition can't stop pay raises for township workers

By SUSAN SIGNAIGO-WEICH  
Staff writer

**GRANITE CITY** — Opposition did not stop pay raises for five employees of the supervisor's office.

The 5 percent raises were approved Tuesday night along with the 1985-86 township budget. The township budget is up \$30,000 over last year, but will not mean a tax increase.

Although most township trustees were opposed to the pay increase, Township Attorney William Schooley said the raises could not be stopped by any trustee action.

**SCHOOLEY SAID** Township Supervisor Nellie Hagnauer sets all of the salaries for general assistance workers, since he is the supervisor of general assistance. Therefore, Hagnauer can award the

increases even if township trustees oppose them.

Five office workers are paid through the general assistance fund, Hagnauer said. Two bus drivers and "three or four" kitchen helpers are paid through other township funds.

Raises for township workers should not be awarded until it is decided if city workers will get increases, said Trustee Jake Var-

dian.

**HAGNAUER SAID** raises for city workers and township workers have never been brought in together in the past.

It is not clear whether the workers in the assessor's office were awarded raises in the approved budget.

Darlene Laub, township assessor, was not present at the township meeting to answer the question.

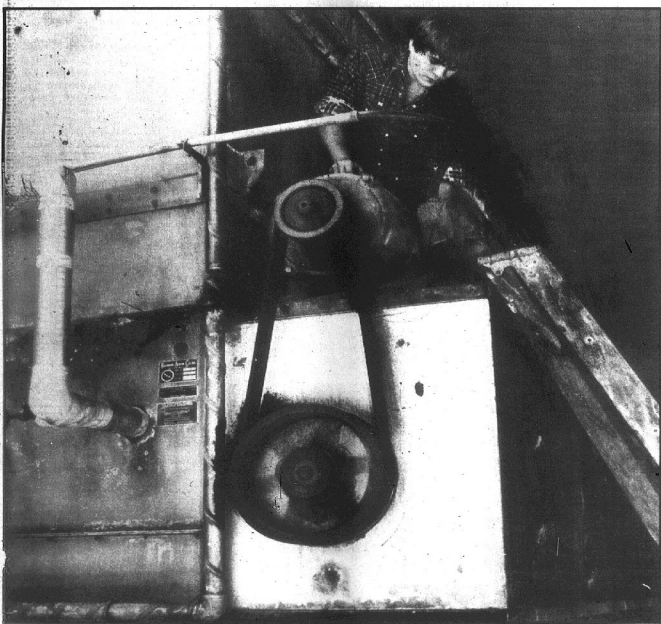
**A WORKER IN** the assessor's office Wednesday said Laub is on vacation for the rest of the week. The worker did not know if raises are included in the budget.

The \$1 million township budget approved represents an increase of \$30,000 over last year's appropriation.

New expenditures listed in the budget included \$55,000 for the in-

stallation of an elevator in City Hall, \$10,000 for the renovation of the second-floor courtroom in City Hall, \$6,000 for a new phone system in the Town Hall, \$4,400 for township officials to attend seminars and \$5,000 each for committees for township youth and senior citizens.

**THERE IS A \$20,000 decrease** in the funding for the Municipal Retirement Fund.



**NO SUMMER VACATION.** Kevin Williamson of Granite City spent his summer at the Gateway Arch, but not for sightseeing. The Granite City High School junior inspects an electric motor which operates the cooling system for the national monument, which he replaced this summer. For more on Williamson and his classmate, Brian Forbes, and their summer at the Arch, see page 20.

(Staff photo by Patrick Foley)

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**John Haynes**  
**Calvin Lewis**  
**Edna Medearis**

#### weather

Periods of showers and thundershowers today with the possibility of heavy rain. High today in the upper 70s. A 60 percent chance of rain tonight with the low in the mid-60s. Partly cloudy Friday with a 40 percent chance of thundershowers. The high will be in the low 80s. A chance for thundershowers Saturday, with the high in the low 70s to 80s and the low in the low 50s to 60s.

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### New executive brings experience to chamber

By DAVE WHALEY  
Staff writer

Fifteen years of experience is brought to the Tri-Cities Area Chamber of Commerce by its new executive vice president, R.C. Bush.

Bush, 54, started his new job Monday, succeeding James Pennakamp, who left July 19 to become president of the Greater Alton/Twin Rivers Growth Association.

"I'm very enthused about the area (from what I've seen so far)," Bush said. "My predecessor did an outstanding job. My greatest task will be to keep going what he was doing."

**BUSH CAME** here from Fulton, Mo., a central Missouri town of approximately 35,000 people. While there, he was the executive director of the Kingdom of Callaway Chamber of Commerce.

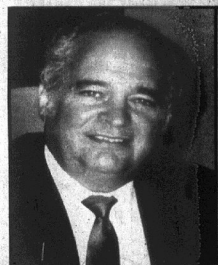
He said he left there partially because of the job opportunity here and because "I think I had done just about everything I could do there. But there is a tremendous potential for growth in this area."

Bush said the area has the advantage of businesses like Illinois Power.

**"THE POWER COMPANY** and some others in the area have a great commitment to the development of the Tri-Cities," Bush said. "My job here is essentially the same as it was there (Fulton), but I'm much more excited about the growth possibility here."

Bush said his background is in economic development. He is a graduate of the Industrial/Economic Developers Institute at the University of Oklahoma and took additional courses in industrial development and community planning at the University of Illinois.

A native of Savannah, Ill., in the



R.C. BUSH

northwestern part of the state, Bush said he has been familiar with this area since his father took him to his first St. Louis Cardinal baseball game at the age of 6.

**"I WAS ONLY** in Missouri a couple of years," he said. "Most of my background is in Illinois."

Bush was responsible for recruiting new industrial prospects and the retention and expansion of existing industry in his previous job as industrial and economic coordinator for the Carroll County (Ill.) Development Corp.

While there, seven new industries were added to the area from 1970 to 1982, creating 595 new jobs.

**BUSH SAID** a large city like St. Louis can be a boost to this area's economy.

"I know some people may disagree with that," he said. "In the retail sector it could hurt a little bit."

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## CUB victory saves average consumer \$150

**Households served by Illinois Power will save an average of \$150 through 1986 as a result of last week's decision by the Illinois Commerce Commission, according to a study released by the Citizens Utility Board, a 120,000-member watchdog group.**

immediate 19.3 percent rate hike. Instead, IP will be able to pass along construction costs only when it's Clinton nuclear power plant is completed and producing electricity.

The commission also set a cap on the amount IP can charge consumers for construction costs at the Clinton I facility.

"With no rate increase in 1985 and only a moderate increase in the future, IP customers will save a sizeable amount," said CUB Executive Director Susan Stewart. "Consumers will also avoid bearing the financial burden for the mounting cost overruns on the utility's delay-ridden Clinton I plant."

Illinois Power had asked to charge consumers \$11.6 million over three years for their investment in Clinton II. The ICC decided to allow a charge of only \$6.7 million over a

five-year period, stating that the difference in costs had been imprudently incurred.

CUB was the only intervenor to present testimony in opposition to consumer charges for the Clinton II facility.

"Ratepayers shouldn't have to pay for mismanagement of construction funds," Stewart said. "We're glad the ICC agreed that IP should not receive any return on a bad investment."

hike following completion of Clinton I. The first nine percent hike will occur when the plant is set to load fuel; the second will take place when an operating license is granted. IP predicts it will load fuel by next January and receive a license by August 1986. But CUB said the project is already 60 days behind and slipping.

"We don't expect any hikes until at least March or April of 1986," Stewart added.

**Labor Day parade Sept. 2**

The annual Labor Day Parade will be conducted by the Tri-Cities Trades and Labor Council on Monday, Sept. 2.

A judging of the best float in the parade will be conducted. Trophies will be given for the first-, second- and third-place entries.

Judges for the contest will be Rev. Don F. Pierson, Nameoki Presbyterian Church, Rev. William H. Roddy, First Church of the Nazarene, and Rev. Jim Parks, Tricity Park Tabernacle.

The judging booth, an 18-wheeler flat bed truck, will be furnished by Sam Bowler. The booth will be positioned in the parking lot of First Assembly of God Church, 2351 Madison Ave.

The order for the organizations in the parade will be as follows: Granite City police car; grand marshal; parade queen; 1985 National Deb; Granite City High School Band; the mayor's car and Democratic representatives; the legislator's car; Granite City

American Legion Color Guard;  
Granite City firefighters; USWA  
Local 30;  
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Teachers Local 763; United Way and  
Community Services; Willing  
Workers; Project Help float; USWA  
Local 1063; carpenters, painters,  
Ainad Compacts; USWA Local 16;  
American Legion Post 307;  
Granite City Teachers Local 743;  
Cub pack; Metro East Automotive  
Mechanics; Wanda's Girls; USWA  
Local 67; Masonic Lodge 835 float;  
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float; antique cars.

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Historical Society; Local 98;  
Granite City Park Twirlettes;  
School of Baton; Amvets Post 204;  
Moose Lodge float; USWA International float; USWA Local 4804 float and marchers; Venice Teachers; Musicians Local 717; covered wagon and horses; Granite City Ambulance; and Teamster's Local 660.

The parade will begin at 9 a.m. with a display of fireworks from Sunset Fireworks Co., St. Louis. The float judging and parade will be held from 9 a.m. to 10 a.m.



**POSTER ARTIST** Jeffrey Smith, center, receives third-place honors in the Amvets Auxiliary Department of Illinois poster contest. A fifth grade student at Sacred Heart-St. Joseph School, he won a first place in the local competition, sponsored by Amvets Auxiliary 51. Others from left are Alberta Manninger, Auxiliary president, Betty Wilkins, local Americanism chairman, and Mrs. Betty Smith, mother of the winner.



**TODD PRYOR**, center, accepts the second-place plaque he earned as essay contestant at the Amvets Auxiliary Department of Illinois convention. A sixth grader at Prather School, he also captured a first in the local contest. From the left are Jim and Peggy Pryor, his parents, Betty Wilkins, Americanism chairman of Auxiliary Unit 51, and Alberta Manninger, president of the Auxiliary.

## Amvets Auxiliary Unit 51 announces contest winners

Todd Pryor and Jeffrey Smith, first-place winners in local poster and essay judging sponsored by the Amvets Auxilliary of Post 51, returned from state competition with high honors.

The essay contest is conducted for sixth grade students and was won locally by Todd Pryor, a Prather School student. Jeffrey Smith, a fifth grade pupil at Sacred Heart-St. Joseph, won top honors in the poster competition here.

Both advanced to the state level, where judging was conducted by the Amvets Auxiliary Department of Illinois at its convention in Peoria.

Pryor received a second place and Smith third place at the convention. Each received an American flag and patriotic plaque from Maxine Bell, Americanism chairman for the state organization.

Presentation of the awards was made by Alberta Manninger, president of the local auxiliary, and Betty Wilkins, auxiliary Americanism chairman, at a Unit 51 meeting.

convention included the Hospital Youth Award second place to Phillip Manning, member of Tank-Town Annvets Post 51, for his work as a volunteer at the Veterans Administration Hospital; Community Service Award third place to Ann Tucker, chapter 10, for her duties as chairman; scrapbook first place to Glenda Brockman, historian; and Reporter of the Year first place to Shirley Schienschang, local publicity chairman. The Publicity Award third place to Shirley Schienschang, immediate past president of Auxiliary Unit 51; and Annvet Member of the Year first place to Ann Tucker for his support to local auxiliary programs.

Those who attended the department convention in Peoria representing Post 51 and the Auxiliary were Joe and Brenda White, Phillip and Brenda Manning, Clay Garner and Glenda Brockman.

## TWO WARRANTS SERVED

Kathryn L. Moke, 28, of 511 Washington Ave. was arrested by police Aug. 19 after being served two warrants alleging deceptive practices.

## MOTORCYCLE STOLEN

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Stewart also commended the ICC's decision to disallow utility profits on the defunct Clinton II project.

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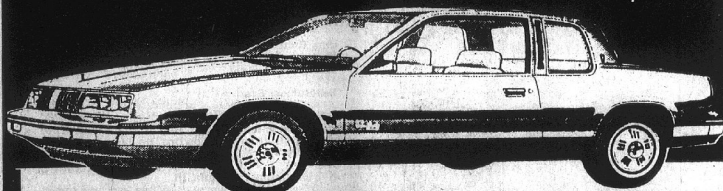
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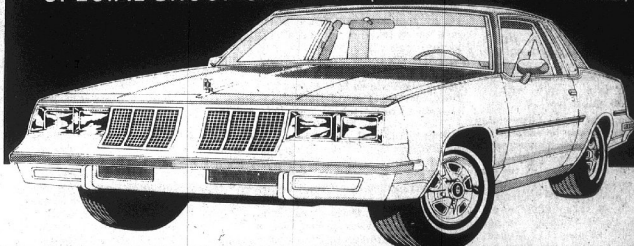
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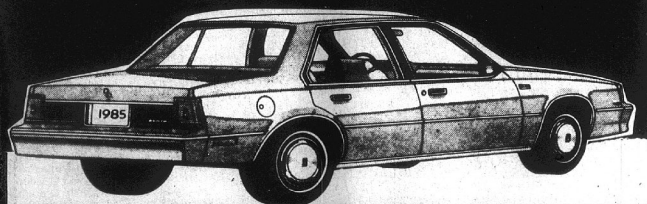


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**FIRE CHIEF RESPONDS.** Willie Dumas, Venice fire chief, left, tries to explain procedures used at a controversial fire which destroyed three homes in the 400 block of Weaver Street, Venice, at 1:15 a.m. Sunday. More than 40 concerned citizens, many unhappy and alleging assistance from neighboring fire departments was not sought soon enough, jammed the Venice council chambers at Tuesday's City Council meeting.

### Concerns about fire

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noting the truck driver failed to use the hydrant closest to the blaze.

"If only one man (truck driver) is working why do we bother to have volunteer firemen at all?" a woman asked.

The mayor responded, "The bottom line is I am willing to give the service you need, if you will pay for it."

"I am willing to pay a higher tax rate to increase the staff on duty than have my insurance rates doubled," said a woman who proposed a tax referendum.

"That's a good point and I suggest you get with the city attorney and find out how to go about it," the mayor replied. "I will help you spearhead a referendum."

"HOW CAN YOU afford to send those men to a convention when you can't afford to have (paid) firemen in our town?" a man asked Echols. The man was referring to earlier action by the council, approving attendance by Dumas and firefighters Harold Koelker and Thomas Brent at the 95th annual Illinois Firefighters Association convention in Decatur.

"This is something we do every year and has nothing to do with this (situation)," the mayor responded.

Some semblance of order came after 4th Ward Alderman Victor Valentine Sr. addressed the group, asking for the "issue to be put in perspective. I happened to be just getting off work and be there (at the fire) when only one house was on fire. All of a sudden there were three houses going."

VALENTINE ALSO failed to

understand some procedures used at the scene, he said.

"But I am not here to call names," he said. "I believe in the city working together."

"The volunteer firemen do a hell of a job, but I was there before Mr. Dumas and the firemen and I think they should have called Madison for back-up before they did."

"Maybe some of the firemen need more training and maybe a supervisor should be kept with a rookie fireman."

"I think we should get together and help the people who lost their homes, those people who were burned out. There are five families involved," he said.

VALENTINE'S AUNT, Mrs. Sular Moore, was among the victims who lost property.

Also helping to quiet debate was Madison Garrett Sr., whose business and residence are near the fire scene. But Garrett also had questions.

"I have several large buildings and a home in Venice and it depends on the fire department whether my insurance rates go up or are cancelled," Garrett said, questioning the number of false calls.

"Before Mr. Garrett took the floor I had heard nothing fruitful, just people getting mad at each other. All this talk won't bring back those three houses, but your interest and presence here could prevent this occurring again," the mayor said.

Shortly afterward, the alderman voted to change the fire department's response policy.

The burned houses were at 403

Weaver, owned by Henry Vernon; 407 Weaver, owned by Calvin Leonard; and 411 Weaver, owned by Sular Tilson Moore.

### STATION BURGLARY

Two cases of oil valued at \$36 and three cases of soft drinks worth \$24 were stolen Aug. 16 in a burglary at Clark Service Station, 3051 Washington Ave. A padlock was removed from a shed at the rear of the building, where the items were stored.

## Three-day tax workshop is scheduled

A three-day workshop for tax professionals who want to brush up on all areas of tax return preparation covered by the Treasury exam is scheduled for August and September in St. Louis, Minneapolis, New York, Chicago, Atlanta and Dallas.

This seminar was designed with three goals in mind: passing the

"Enrolled Agents Exam," becoming accredited in taxation by the Accreditation Council for Accountancy and a thorough review.

According to LaVerne Forster, director of education for the National Association of Tax Practitioners, tax preparers are experiencing increasing pressure to attain Enrolled Agent status and ac-

creditation. For those who intend to take either test, this seminar will assist in that pursuit. Preparers who require continuing education credit can receive 24 CPE hours by attending.

Additional information can be obtained from NATP, 1015 W. Wisconsin Ave., Kaukauna, Wis. 54130, or by calling toll-free 1-800-558-3402.



### Births

Births recorded at St. Elizabeth Medical Center include:

GIRLS  
Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Davis, 1801 Poplar St., Aug. 18, Heather Michelle, 7 pounds, 12 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Druke, 4057 Sara, Aug. 18, Melony Nicole, 7 pounds, 11 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. James Raymer, 2227 Missouri Ave., Aug. 18, Jamie Michelle, 5 pounds, 4 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. David Saggio, 305 Wilson Park Lane, Aug. 20, Mary Kathryn, 5 pounds, 15 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. James Valencia, 2821 Saratoga Ave., Aug. 20, Stephanie Anne, 7 pounds, 15 ounces.

### BURGLARY AT HOME

Walter Strange, 1511 Second St., Madison, reported to the Madison police at 8:22 a.m. Aug. 18 that someone entered his home sometime between noon on Aug. 15 and 9:30 p.m. Aug. 17. Taken was a Winchester 22 automatic antique rifle valued at \$175, two checks payable to Explorer Post 10-4, one blank check for the Explorers, rolls of quarters amounting to \$30 and several \$10 and \$20 bills (totaling about \$200).

But the possibilities for growth in an area like this are great."

Bush was unsure about the need for a so-called "magnet" store in the area. Some community leaders in the past have said a large store, such as Sears or Famous-Barr, would help lure more shoppers here.

"A STORE like that could be good," he said. "But I think it's a little too early for me to make an accurate assessment on that."

In the meantime, Bush has been kept busy getting acquainted with the area. "I've been out constantly," he said. "I have been meeting with lots of people and listening. I haven't been able to contribute much because of my lack of knowledge of the area, but I'm learning. It's impossible for me to get to everyone, but I'll meet as many as I can."

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Bush said he has been so busy he hasn't had much spare time to find a house yet. His wife, Shirley, and he have two children, Mrs. Deborah Bace, 34, of Springfield, Ill., and R C Bush Jr., 30, of Clinton, Iowa. They

also have two grandchildren by their son.

Bush's given name, by the way, is R C. The letters do not stand for anything so they do not have a period after them. His father's initials were R.C., but he did not want to have a son he would call "Junior," so he didn't give R C his full name.

### BATTERY IS ALLEGED

Kenneth G. Householder, 21, of 2807 Kirkpatrick Homes, arrested at E. 25th Street and Nameok Road, Aug. 16, was charged with battery after Muriel Crable, 1002 Kirkpatrick Homes, alleged being slapped across the face by Householder during an argument.

### GASOLINE IS TAKEN

Mike McGinness, yard manager at the Belson Recycling firm, located south of Washington Avenue in Venice, reported thieves cut a hose leading to a large gas tank, stole some of the gasoline and let about 200 gallons run out on the ground last week.

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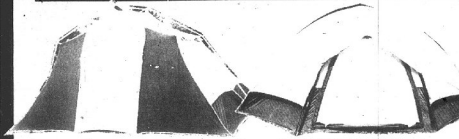
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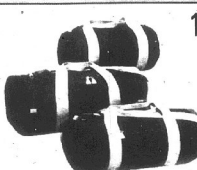
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### Clothing sought for fire victims

Efforts are underway to assist families whose homes were destroyed by a devastating fire in the 400 block of Weaver Street, Venice, at 1:15 a.m. Sunday.

Venice 4th Ward Alderman Victor Valentine Sr. is seeking donations of clothing and other household items for those families displaced by the blaze that gutted three dwellings.

Members of five families are making temporary homes with other relatives in Venice.

Pat Wood resided at 407 Weaver St. with her two children, a nephew and her grandmother. The family is

now staying with Wood's sister in the Lee Wright Homes.

She can use 12-month size clothing for an infant daughter, girl's size 4T clothing for her 2-year-old daughter and boy's size 4T or 5T for the nephew.

Women's clothing in sizes 16 1/2, 18 or 20, plus undergarments and shoes for all family members, also are needed, Valentine said.

A coordinated effort with a local church to collect donated items is being arranged. Immediate assistance may be given by contacting Valentine at his home, 1024 Logan Ave., or by calling 451-7475.

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## State funds available for literacy programs

SPRINGFIELD — Secretary of State and State Librarian Jim Edgar has announced that state funds totaling \$2 million are available to local literacy organizations under a new program administered by the Secretary of State's Office.

Edgar, who chairs the Illinois Literacy Council, said his office is requesting proposals from literacy groups in need of funding to support or deliver instruction in literacy to nonreading adults.

"The new grant program, proposed by the council and approved this summer by the General Assembly and the governor, will provide for the first time direct state funding for literacy programs of all kinds," Edgar said. "The money is available

to local education, library, volunteer and community-based organizations. We're eager to begin the grant award process, which will address the serious and widespread problem of illiteracy."

Requests for funding will be reviewed by a seven-member literacy advisory board composed of library and education representatives and citizens who are active in the Illinois literacy effort.

"Literacy has become a problem of enormous importance, particularly now that jobs in smoke-stack industries are being replaced by jobs in the high tech workplace of an information era," Edgar said. "To keep a job, good reading skills are essential."

Applications for funding are due

by Oct. 15, and Edgar will announce grant awards by Dec. 1. A ceiling of \$100,000 per grant has been established.

For information, interested persons may contact Joan Seamon, Literacy Program coordinator, Office of the Secretary of State, Illinois State Library, 288 Centennial Building, Springfield, Ill. 62756.

### GCHOME ENTERED

Dorothy Brandenburg of 2019 Illinois Ave., told police Aug. 17, someone broke into her home and ransacked several drawers. Entry was made by breaking the front window in her door and then reaching through to unlock it. It was unknown at the time of the report if anything is missing.

### MAN BEATEN, ROBBED, ON MADISON AVENUE

Michael Garrett of St. Louis told police Aug. 19 two black men in their 20's, beat him and robbed him while they were in the 2900 block of Madison Avenue.

Garrett said he was in a maroon four-door vehicle with the two men, when they pulled the car over to the side of the road, dragged him from the vehicle and hit him several times with a tire iron. The men then robbed him of \$300 cash and drove off.

Garrett was admitted to St. Elizabeth Medical Center for lacerations to his scalp and an injury to his left eye.

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**PATRICIA DINEFF**, left, general music teacher at Niedringhaus and Mitchell Schools, has completed a music workshop with pianist Ruth Slenczynska, artist-in-residence at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville. The workshop, directed to performers and teachers, emphasized supplemental techniques in support of repertoire. Participants performed in a recital at the end of the week-long workshop.

## OATH van stolen in Venice plant burglary

A 15-passenger van, electric welding equipment and office machines were taken in a burglary at Milnor Manufacturing Co., 1300 McKinley Ave., Venice, Tuesday.

The intruders stripped and burned the vehicle, which is owned by the Organization to Aid the Handicapped (OATH), a non-profit group employing handicapped workers.

The demolished van, located Tuesday by the East St. Louis Police Department in an alley at 13th and Lynch streets, East St. Louis, apparently was used to haul away some of the stolen property.

According to Milton Morris, Milnor president, items stolen from the plant are valued between \$12,000 and \$15,000, excluding the vehicle.

The 1979 Dodge van was purchased for OATH with donations from the Venice Volunteer Fire Department, Venice-Madison American Legion Post 307 and Disabled American Veterans Chapter 53 of Granite City.

The three service groups contributed \$9,600 within a two-day period to pay for the vehicle, according to Morris, who serves as president of OATH. The van was parked on plant property for security reasons, he said.

Handicapped workers who are transported daily to the OATH workshop at 612 State St., Madison,

were notified early Tuesday that no transportation was available and were brought to the workshop by parents, Morris said.

As a temporary measure, a van will be loaned to OATH by Madison County Transit District's Agency for Community Transit, he explained.

The burglars entered the office area through an upper window and also cut padlocks to gain access into a large shop building. Some of the equipment removed was extremely heavy, Morris said.

Among items taken were three electric welding units, tool boxes, paint guns, drills, welding helmets, cutting machines, torch gauges, hand grinders, an electric typewriter, adding machine, clock-radio and two tape recorders, police reports said.

### TOOLS STOLEN FROM TRUCK

Various tools taken from a tool box on the bed of a 1978 Ford pickup truck were reported stolen at 2:22 p.m. Aug. 17 by the owner, Marilyn James of Bethalto. He said he parked the truck at Kreider Trucking Co., 1600 Collinsville Ave., inside the fenced lot on Aug. 6. When he returned, he found the tools missing and that vandals also siphoned gasoline from the tank.

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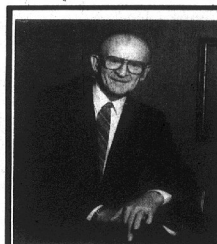


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## County Board approves permit for store addition

By SUSANNE INDELICATO  
Staff writer

MADISON COUNTY — Glenn Yates, owner of The Party Shop, will be allowed to build a two-story addition to the store.

The Madison County Board went against the recommendation of the Madison County Zoning Board of Appeals Wednesday in approving the special use permit request from Yates.

Board member Morris Miles urged County Board members to issue the permit, saying Yates wants to build the addition so he can live above the store.

"The majority of people in the neighborhood don't mind," Miles said.

The convenience store at 5429 Maryville Road lies in an R-3 one family residence district in Chouteau Township.

In other action, the County Board decided to deny a special use permit to place a mobile home in an R-4 single family residence district in Nameoki Township. Gary C. Slage Jr., purchaser and occupant, wanted to put the mobile home at 5311 Arlington in State Park Place.

The Madison County Board approved the following requests:

• Betty Gibson, owner and occupant, for a special use permit to continue the placement of a mobile home in an R-4 single family residence district in Nameoki Township.

The property is located at 201 Booker St. in Eagle Park Acres.

• Elmer R. Bradshaw, owner, and Benjamin Davis, occupant, for a special use permit to place a mobile home in an R-4 single family residence district in Nameoki Township. The property is at 3114 Amherst in State Park Place.

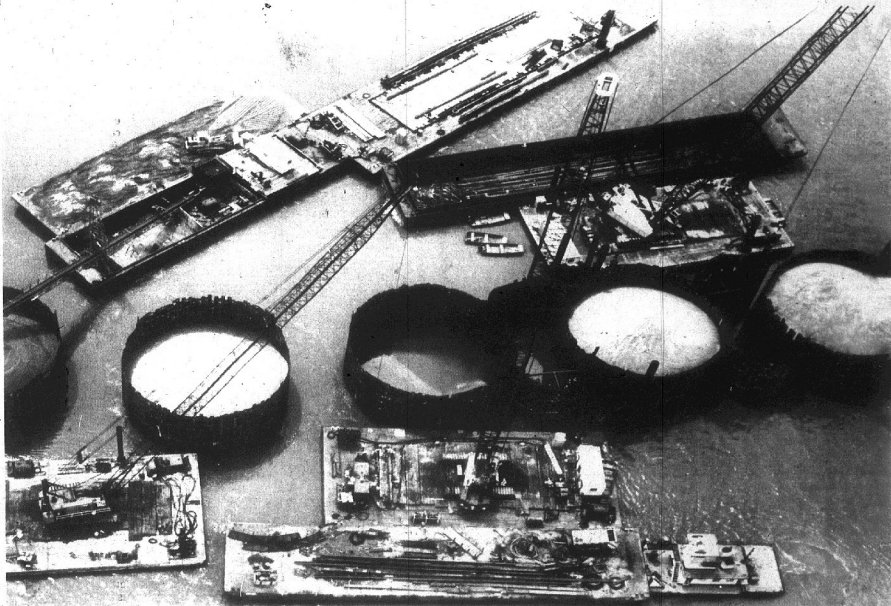
• Ida Lee Dunscomb, owner, and David Andrews II, occupant, for a special use permit to place a mobile home in an R-2 one family residence district in Nameoki Township. The property is on Route 162 across from the Nameoki Township office.

• Bernice and Lawrence Bilyeu, owners, and Rita Barrett, occupant, for a special use permit to place a mobile home in an R-4 single family residence district in Nameoki Township. This is located at 3119 Princeton St. in State Park Place.

• Fred Hartline, owner, and Dorothy Turner, purchaser, for a special use permit to continue using a mobile home in an R-3 one family residence district in Nameoki Township, 4125 Division St.

### ITEMS TAKEN FROM HOME

A burglar looted the home of Richard Carnack of 3121 Ohio Ave. on Aug. 10. Items taken included a box of clothing, shelves, a picture and a bowl. Some items belonging to his landlord were also taken: an extension cord, a saw and a level.



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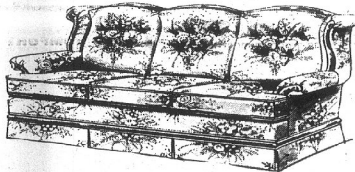
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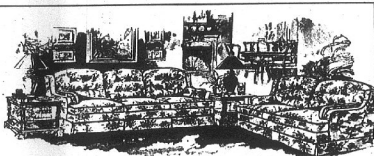


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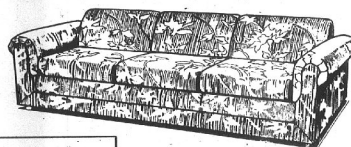
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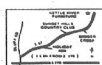
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## Community Development applications approve

By SUSANNE INDELICATO  
Staff writer

MADISON COUNTY — The county's application for Community Development grant funds is on its way to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development.

The Madison County Board approved the application Wednesday.

COUNTY OFFICIALS expect to receive \$3,215,000 for the 1985-86 project year.

The application proposes the funds be used for the following:

• Granite City handicapped accessibility — \$15,000; Granite City sewer construction — \$40,000; Madison recreational improvements — \$28,409; Nameoki Township drainage improvements — \$10,000; Nameoki Township street improvements — \$8,043.

• PONTON BEACH Senior Center improvements — \$5,758; Venice street improvements — \$47,220; Venice Township street improvements — \$12,285; Granite City paint program — \$80,000; Granite City economic development — \$96,494; Madison economic development — 28,409.

• Venice Township housing rehabilitation — \$25,000; Venice housing rehabilitation — \$25,000; Nameoki Township housing rehabilitation — \$15,000; Chouteau Township housing rehabilitation — \$15,000.

• Madison County economic development — \$700,000; Madison County housing rehabilitation — \$80,000; Madison County removal of architectural barriers — \$150,000; Madison County demolition — \$35,000; general planning — \$360,000 and contingencies — \$154,942.

COMMUNITY Development funds are used in Madison County for hous-

ing rehabilitation for low- and moderate-income families, to provide housing support services for special groups and to eliminate slums and blight in older residential neighborhoods.

The funds are also used to provide programs to stimulate new industrial and commercial growth and

to retain businesses. Some funds are used to maintain public facilities and infrastructures.

The application will be sent to HUD by Sept. 1, and HUD should approve the application and release the grant by Oct. 1, county officials said.

### Other action

The Madison County Board took the following action during its Wednesday meeting:

• Nominated Madison County Recorder of Deeds Ronald P. Lucas as an executive trustee of the Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund Board.

• Appointed the following Granite City residents:  
— Thomas E. Gipson of 2228 Dawn Place and J.L. (Pete) Nelson of 2220 Orville Ave. to serve three years on the Miracle Manor Bellemore Place Street Lighting District board. The two were reappointed to their posts.

• Carl Mathias of 34 Oak Lawn, Illinois Power Co. chairman, and Mel Wimsmeier of 105 Riviera Drive, First Granite City National Bank president, to two-year terms on the Madison County Overall Economic Development Program committee.

• Robert Douglas of rural Granite City to the Mitchell Public Water District board.

Douglas replaces Lee Pavia, who retired, and will complete

Pavia's term which ends May 5, 1987.

• Christine Wallace of 131 Kinder Lane to a four-year term on the Mental Health Board.

• Awarded a contract to Rule Construction Co. to put stonework on the outside of the courthouse. The company bid \$90,267, the only bid received. Madison County will pay \$82,144, while the city of Edwardsville will pay \$8,123 as its contribution to the reconstruction of adjacent sidewalks.

• Awarded a contract to Korte-Plocher Construction of Highland to remodel the Emergency Operating Center Annex II. The company was the lowest of four bidders with a bid of \$46,300. The County Board also accepted a \$75,000 matching grant from the Illinois Emergency Services Disaster Agency. Part of the grant will go to the remodeling of the annex.

• Increased the county's veteran's assistance superintendent's salary to \$1,044 per month, effective last June 1.

## THE LAW AND YOU

BY RICK REED  
Attorney At Law



If a person's car is rear-ended by another vehicle is the driver of the rear vehicle automatically at fault? There seems to be a widespread belief that the rear driver will be held liable in this situation even if the front car stops suddenly. A recent Illinois case addressed this question.

In an accident that occurred in 1979, the Plaintiff was traveling down an entrance ramp to an expressway when his car was rear-ended by the defendant. The Plaintiff testified that when a car which was about 20 feet in front of him slowed down on the ramp, he also slowed down. Shortly thereafter, he was hit by the Defendant's truck. The Defendant, on the other hand, testified that the Plaintiff's car made a sudden stop and that this was the cause of the accident.

The jury in this case rendered its verdict for the Defendant who was the driver of the rear car. The Plaintiff asked the trial court to grant him a new trial. In support of this, he maintained that in rear-end collision cases, the driver of the rear vehicle should be found negligent as a mat-

ter of law. The trial judge disagreed, and allowed the jury's verdict for the Defendant to stand.

The Plaintiff, who was the driver of the front car, took the case to the Appellate Court. The issue on appeal was whether in a rear-end collision case, the driver of the rear vehicle must automatically be found to be at fault or whether a jury could find the driver of the front vehicle to be the responsible party. The Appellate Court in this case noted that it is the responsibility of the jury to determine who is liable in such accidents. A number of Illinois cases were cited by the Court which stood for the proposition that because a rear-end collision occurred does not necessarily mean the rear driver is at fault.

The Court in this case felt that since the evidence was conflicting on such a crucial issue as the distance between the vehicles prior to the collision, therefore the decision as to who was at fault should be totally left to the jury. The Appellate Court felt there was ample testimony to support the conclusion that the Plaintiff stopped suddenly, and they allowed the jury's verdict to stand.



# Malpractice law in effect

By DENNIS McMURRAY  
SPRINGFIELD — A controversial new law which took effect Aug. 15 creates extra obstacles for bringing malpractice lawsuits against doctors in Illinois.

After intense lobbying, with the Illinois State Medical Society on one side and major lawyers' groups on the other, a bill was passed by the General Assembly and signed into law by the governor that included several "reforms" sought by the doctors' group.

Illinois State Medical Society President Morgan M. Meyer issued a statement saying the new law will "expedite the settlement of medical negligence disputes and guard the due process rights of citizens."

But he would not predict the new law will reduce medical bills, only "moderate" those expenses related to malpractice insurance costs.

"This is a cost containment program for the consumer. It's a very good step," said Dr. Sadig Mohyuddin of Godfrey, immediate past president of the Madison County Medical Society. He said since statistics were not kept, it is not possible to determine whether more malpractice lawsuits have been filed in Madison County in recent months to avoid provisions of the new law.

Leonard Ring, a former Illinois Trial Lawyers Association president and Chicago attorney, brought a lawsuit in Cook County challenging the constitutionality of the new law within minutes after Gov. James Thompson signed the bill on June 25.

One key provision of the new law is the introduction of three-member pre-trial screening panels composed of a physician, attorney and judge. A screening panel would be appointed

for each case from a pool of eligible panelists.

Decisions of the panel are not binding on the parties. However, if a party rejects a unanimous panel decision and subsequently does not prevail at trial, the losing party will be assessed for the prevailing party's expenses.

The Illinois Supreme Court has not yet put together rules on how the panels shall be appointed by chief judges in each circuit, so no panels have yet been created.

An official in the Administrative Office of the Illinois Courts said that since the law provides for a delay before the first panels will be needed, the high court has "not been in a rush" to issue the rules.

The new law provides for a review panel to be appointed within 90 days after the lawsuit and answer are on file, and then gives the panels up to 180 days more to make a decision.

An injunction requested by Ring in his lawsuit could also make the need for the review panels at least temporarily moot.

Plaintiffs' lawyers in many parts of the state apparently have expedited the filing of malpractice lawsuits to avoid the provisions of the new act. In Cook County, the only county where a separate tally is made of malpractice cases, more than 1,000 such suits were filed in May and June alone, more than 3 times as many as the prior year.

Other provisions in the new law include:

- Permitting defendants to be dismissed from a case by filing an affidavit of non-involvement. This provision is intended to allow innocent defendants who are named in

"shotgun" lawsuits to be able to avoid significant legal expenses. A defendant would be dismissed unless the affidavit of non-involvement is successfully challenged by the plaintiff.

- Requiring the plaintiff's attorney to file an affidavit that a physician knowledgeable in the same specialty as the defendant has been consulted and finds the claim is reasonable before a lawsuit can proceed.

- Making it easier for defendants to sue for malicious prosecution and making attorneys liable for

damages when they make "untrue allegations" in malpractice lawsuits.

- Eliminating recovery of punitive damages in malpractice cases.

- Requiring the amount of verdicts over \$250,000, with some specific exceptions, to be structured or paid out in annual installments over the actuarial life of the plaintiff.

- Limiting attorneys' contingent fees in malpractice cases according to a sliding scale based on the award recovered. The scale calls for lawyers to receive 33 percent of the first \$150,000 of a judgment.

## Doctors made contributions

Although the final vote on malpractice reform was virtually unanimous in the past session of the Illinois General Assembly, both lawyers' and doctors' group made substantial political contributions while the issue was being considered.

Political action committee (PACs) for the Illinois State Medical Society, the Illinois Trial Lawyers Association (ITLA) and the State Bar Association contributed substantial sums to the campaign funds of legislators during the spring session when the malpractice issue was debated.

The Medical Society group, however, outspent the ITLA committee by more than two to one, \$48,450 to \$21,610.

Area legislators whose campaign funds received contribu-

tions from the Medical Society PAC included Rep. Tom Ryder, R-Jerseyville, whose committee got \$1,000 in April on top of the \$2,000 received prior to the November 1984 election. Ryder sponsored a contribution of the original bills sought by the Medical Society.

The campaign committee of Rep. Sam Wolf, D-Granite City, also received a contribution of \$250 from the Medical Society PAC.

Area legislators receiving campaign contributions from the Trial Lawyers PAC were Rep. Jim McPike, D-Alton, \$1,000, and Sen. Vince Demuzio, D-Carlinville, \$750.

The malpractice legislation passed the House 110-4 and the Senate 57-0.

## School board members respond to 'better settlement' dispute

By DAVE WHALEY  
Staff writer

GRANITE CITY — It would be "illogical" to vote against the recommendation of the best appraisal firm in the state.

So said Alan Crider, president of the school board Tuesday in response to comments by Board President Kelly Hogan that a better settlement in the Granite City Steel tax dispute could not be reached.

Hogan, in the Aug. 8 edition of the Press-Record, said he was disappointed over the settlement, which resulted in a \$54 million assessed valuation for Granite City Steel for 1983.

CRIDER RESPONDED Tuesday with a prepared statement saying that Hogan misrepresented the board.

"I believe Mr. Hogan tried to give the impression that the agreed settlement was not in the best interest of the school district because the figures accepted were different than Mr. (William) Townsley's fair market valuation of the plant," Crider said. "It is important to know that Mr. Townsley represents what this school board considered the best firm possible to appraise Granite City Steel."

Townsley, from Chicago, was hired at a cost of \$225,000 to do the appraisal to help settle a dispute arising when Granite City Steel requested a reduction in its assessed valuation.

"I THINK WHEN you have the best firm in the state, with the man who wrote the book on appraisals, you should try to come closer to the figures," Hogan said Tuesday. "He used three different methods of appraisals and all of them came within several million dollars of each other (between \$295 million and \$300 million)."

million). We settled for \$54 million. That's a reduction of \$46 million right there."

Both Crider and fellow board member Monroe Worthen criticized Hogan for saying he was the only one who asked questions at the July 19 meeting, at which the board voted 5-1 to accept the compromise. Hogan voted no, with Tom Mofsky, a former employee of Granite City Steel, abstaining.

"To say that you were the only one asking any questions at that meeting, that's a damn lie," Worthen said. "It is, in my opinion, a deliberate attempt to mislead the public and I won't stand for it."

"TO JOG Mr. Hogan's memory, I would like to remind him of some of the questions asked and by whom," Crider said. "Mr. (David) Partney began the questioning by asking Mr. Townsley if this agreement is what he recommended. He responded, 'Yes.'"

"Mrs. (Ruth) LaRue asked questions about real and personal property and made a comparison to what was real and personal at former Granite City North High School. One of my questions dealt with not accepting the agreement. This series of questions was not just one person asking questions."

"The question was how much was real property and how much was personal property," Melton said. "That is the crux of why we took the settlement."

CRIDER SAID Hogan was correct in saying Townsley's figures were greater than the figures settled on, but also said if the taxing bodies had proceeded with a court battle, a long and costly battle would have followed.

"When I asked Bill Schooley Jr. (board attorney) about this, he said a court battle of 60 to 90 days could easily be predicted," Crider said.

Crider said Townsley told the board the state does not tax antipollution devices, so an amount of approximately \$45 million to \$50 million would be taken from the value of the plant.

TOWNSLEY DID recommend the agreement, Melton said. "And he also said we would get no more if we went to the appeals board and possibly less."

Hogan was also concerned because he said the board was expected to make a decision "right on the spot," meaning July 19, when he said the board saw the figures for the first time.

"This is simply partly true," Crider said. "We had discussed the Granite

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## FOR PET'S SAKE

by James R. Hill, D.V.M.

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When a dog reaches an older age, from 10 to 12 years, his body begins to undergo a number of changes. In order to keep him as healthy and happy as possible, a number of adjustments must be made by the dog owner.

The older dog is more sensitive to heat and cold. He should be kept out of drafts in the winter, not given too much exercise in the heat of summer, and dried off when wet. His diet should also be modified to keep up with his changing metabolism. He may also require the addition of vitamin supplements and hormones.

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## Eight incidents at Gateway Truck Plaza

Eight separate reports on theft or burglary at Gateway Truck Plaza at Skelly's on Route 203 were reported within a week's time by truckers stopped there to sleep or eat at the restaurant.

Mark Holloway of Florissant, Mo., took matters into his own hands after three black females came up to his truck at 10:25 a.m. Aug. 15 and asked if he wanted a date. When he told them no, one female jerked a gold necklace valued at \$1,000, from his neck and the three ran away.

The trucker then drove around until he found one of the women and held her until Madison police officers arrived. Felisha Ann Smith was taken to the police station, where she was charged with theft and criminal trespass.

Charles Polk of Clarksville, W.Va., was asleep in his truck with the doors locked when he woke up at 12:09 a.m. Aug. 20 to find three black females inside. He does not know how they entered the vehicle, and after they left he discovered \$300 missing from his wallet, according to the report.

Another driver, Jesse Ray Tucker of Wichita, Kan., was standing beside his van at 4:49 a.m. Aug. 17 when someone walked up behind him and put what he thought was a gun at his back and demanded he surrender his money. He reported handing \$80 in cash to a person, but he did not see the person's face.

Two females entered the truck of Carroll Clements of Mount Vernon, Ohio, at 4:57 a.m. Aug. 19, and after they left he discovered \$100, a .380 blue pistol and \$273 in currency missing, the victim reported to Madison police officers.

Tim Gallion of Merville, Ind., told Madison police at 1:24 a.m. Aug. 17 he arrived at the truckstop to pick up a trailer and found, after inspecting the truck, that the door lock was broken. He also checked the shipping sheet and found 45 boxes of Joy and an unknown amount of Tide and Era laundry products missing.

Gallion said he works for C. Manwell Trucking of Overland Park, Kan.

Another truck driver, Edward Bramlette of Troy, Ohio, reported to the police at 6:29 a.m. Aug. 16 he was in the restaurant, and when he returned to his truck, he found the seal and lock on the rear door broken. Taken was from eight to 10 boxes of Hallsween candy consigned to Spangler Candy Co. in Bryon, Ohio.

A vent window on the door of a

truck driven by David Sterling of Selah, Wash., was broken while he was eating in the restaurant at the truckstop. Sterling reported to the Madison police at 12:13 a.m. Aug. 15. After returning to the truck, he found a portable AM-FM cassette valued at \$285, two black books with papers and permits for the truck, and a log book missing.

Carlos Ayala of Kansas City, Kan., called Madison police at 8 a.m. Aug. 14 to report someone broke the wing window of the passenger door to gain entry to the truck. He said he was eating in the truckstop restaurant when the incident took place.

Missing from the truck was an echo box valued at \$70, Midland 40 channel citizen band radio, costing \$50, fuzz buster, \$169, and two 9-inch color television sets in cartons that were being returned to the sender.

## PURSE IS STOLEN

Mary Witmer of Florissant, Mo., reported the theft of her purse, containing \$45, two sets of keys, checks and credit cards, while she was at Venice-Madison American Legion Post 307 on Aug. 17.

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**VACATIONISTS.** Oswald and Linda Mata of 27 B.Lakeview Drive, on the deck of a Carnival Cruise Line's funship TSS Festival before sailing from Miami on a 7-day cruise to the Caribbean. During the voyage the flagship made calls at Nassau, Bahamas, San Juan, Puerto Rico and St. Thomas, U.S. Virgin Islands.

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 Pick 4 Game: 9695  
 Monday, Aug. 19: 568  
 Pick 4 Game: 6818  
 Tuesday, Aug. 20: 174  
 Pick 4 Game: 1713  
 Wednesday, Aug. 21: 825  
 Pick 4 Game: 0841

## TWO WARRANTS SERVED

David W. Barker, 18, of Hamel, was arrested by police Aug. 18 after being served with two Madison County warrants. The warrants alleged failure to appear on a defective brakes charge and failure to appear on a stop sign violation.

## STOLEN CAR RECOVERED

A car that was stolen Aug. 18 from the Granite Bowl parking lot, 3701 Nameoki Road, was recovered by Madison County police that day. The car, owned by Douglas E. Hushey of Holiday Mobile Home Park, was recovered on Chouteau Island. The car was fire damaged.

## Grassroots government

Upcoming meetings of Quad-City area governmental bodies include:  
 Venice School Board 7 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 22, 7th Street and Broadway.  
 Madison School Board (special meeting to discuss personnel) 6:30 p.m. Thursday Aug. 22, 1707 Fourth St.

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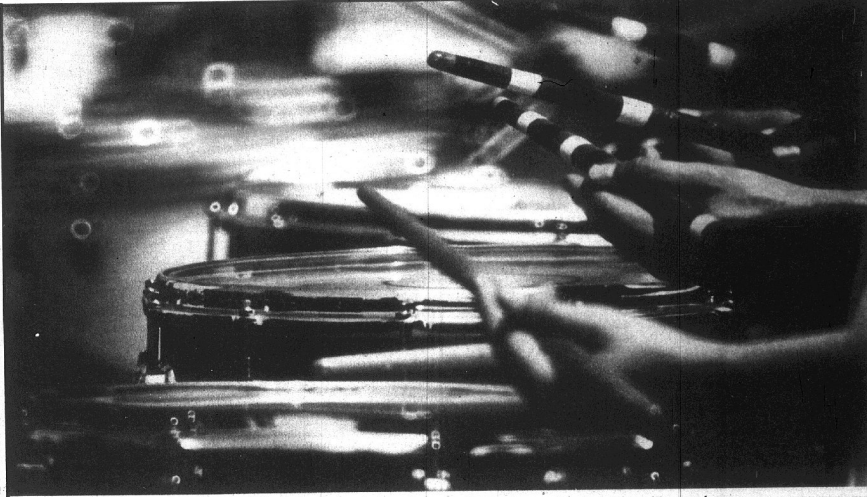
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## Aldermen consider cost-savings plans

**GRANITE CITY** — City-run garbage collection and a city-run automobile repair garage are among money-saving plans discussed by aldermen Tuesday.

Discussed in a special caucus, the plans were developed by the city's finance committee as possible ways to save taxpayers' money.

Among the proposals are:

- Investigate the possibility of establishing a city-run garbage and trash pick-up. The city currently has a contract with Allied Disposal. The contract expires June 30, 1987.
- Investigate the possibility of establishing a city-run mechanics shop that would be used to service city vehicles. The city currently gets city vehicles serviced through the car dealer or private mechanic shops.
- Investigate the possibility of purchasing city street lights. The city currently rents the light from Illinois Power Co.
- Investigate the feasibility of purchasing, instead of renting items in some city departments.

Contract out for clothing rentals for some city workers, instead of paying workers a clothing allowance. This proposal would exclude firemen, Emergency Medical Technicians and policemen.

Pursue the possibility of becoming a self-entitlement city. The city currently relies on funding from the Madison County Community Development Program. The city is in a three-year contract with the county for funding.

## Bill Webb won't run again for Madison County Board

By SUSANNE INDELICATO  
 Staff writer

**MADISON COUNTY** — The District 19 seat on the Madison County Board will be up for grabs in the November 1986 elections.

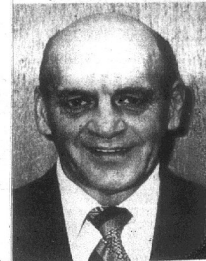
District 19 board member Bill Webb of Granite City told the Press-Record Wednesday he would not seek re-election to the Madison County Board.

"THIRTY-FIVE years is enough," he commented.

Webb, 68, of 403 Stearns Ave., holds one of the longest records of service on the County Board, having been elected to the board continuously since 1950.

He was elected to six terms on the former County Board of Supervisors, serving 22 years on the panel which included township supervisors and assistant supervisors. He is a former assistant supervisor of Granite City Township.

WEBB HAS served on many of the County Board's committees, including the juvenile detention home, right-of-way, tuberculosis, negotiations, highway, executive, health institutions and rabies control committees.



**Bill Webb**

Born in Venice, Webb is a lifelong resident of the Quad-City area and was educated in Madison and Granite City schools.

He retired from Granite City Steel as a diesel locomotive operator after 45 years of service.

## Post 10-4 charcoal sale Saturday

Explorer Post 10-4 will sell Mesquite charcoal on Saturday, Aug. 24, on the parking lot of Panther's Plaza, 1535 Johnson Road, as a fund-raising project to promote the post projects.

In anticipation of Labor Day weekend barbecues, the post plans to sell both 8- and 40-pound bags of charcoal from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Mesquite, a hardwood shrub found in the Southwest United States and Mexico, burns at a temperature higher than most other hardwoods.

The properties of mesquite, when used for cooking impart a flavor into meats, fish, poultry and other foods, has become a favorite among westerners.

"With ever-increasing popularity, fine steak and seafood houses are preparing foods over mesquite charcoal," John Hartman, manager of Panther's and associate advisor of Post 10-4 said. "Far less charcoal is required because mesquite burns longer and hotter than briquets and mesquite may be reused."

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## Gateway Artist Guild announces July winners

July winners in oil and porcelain painting were announced at a meeting Monday, Aug. 19, of the Gateway East Artists Guild.

Those awarded first through fourth place honors for oil paintings include Dottie Bennett, Esther Emerich, Adele Wooten and Helen Cox. Pat Polley of Granite City was given a honorable mention for her porcelain entry.

A James Godwin Scott workshop will be held at the Jaycee Hall Sept. 13 and 14 for a class to be limited to

25. Those interested in registering are to call Florence Turner at 345-9812, the president said.

Those interested in displaying paintings at exhibits scheduled for September and October at the Collinsville Savings and Loan and First National Bank of Collinsville are to contact Julia Ogle at 1-632-6243.

The Aug. 26 board meeting will be hosted by the president, Linda Schmitt, at her home, 301 Union Hill Road, Fairview Heights.



**LOOKING FOR A HOME.** Puddin, a 6-month-old female tabby, is available for adoption at the Animal Protective Association Shelter, 5000 Old Alton Road. She has all of her shots and is very playful. Interested persons may call the shelter at 931-7030. Hours there are Mondays, 9 to 11 a.m.; Tuesdays, 4 to 6 p.m.; Wednesdays, 5 to 8 p.m.; Thursdays, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.; Fridays, noon to 3 p.m.; Saturdays, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.; and Sundays, noon to 3 p.m. (Staff photo by Susan Signeigo-Welch)

### BICYCLIST IS INJURED IN CAR ACCIDENT SUNDAY

Annegret Wilson, 42, of 2132 State St., was injured Aug. 18 when her bicycle collided with a car in the 2200 block of Madison Avenue.

The driver of the car, Susan P. Whitford, 28, of 2808 Emzee St., was

not injured. She told police she was turning left onto Madison Avenue when she collided with Wilson, who was northbound on Madison.

## Board of Realtors nominates slate of officers

GRANITE CITY — The Board of Realtors nominating committee has endorsed its current slate of officers for re-election on Sept. 17. The nominating committee's slate was announced during a meeting of the board Wednesday, Aug. 21.

Current officers nominated for the 1985-86 year are President John W. Blasingame, Vice President Carl Hoffman and Secretary-Treasurer Flo Leiner.

Speaking at Wednesday's Board of Realtors meeting were Granite City School Board President Kelly Hogan, Superintendent Max Redmond and financial officer Norman Owca.

Coming events and dates noted by the board include the Tri-Annual

Meetings Sept. 4, 5 and 6 in Rosemont, Ill.; the election of officers Sept. 17; and the installation banquet Sept. 28.

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## Riverfront barbecue competition to benefit Family, Children's Service

The St. Louis Riverfront Picnic and International Barbecue Competition benefiting Family and Children's Service of Greater St. Louis will be held Aug. 23, 24 and 25 on the levee at Laclede's Landing.

Teams from around the country will compete for the largest cash prize total ever offered in a barbecue competition — \$20,000. Judging will take place on Sunday, and prizes will be awarded for first, second and third place in each of three categories: whole hog, shoulder and ribs. In addition to these prizes, there is a \$1,500 award for showmanship and a \$5,000 award for grand champion.

Showmanship is awarded to the cooking team which creates the most unique presentation of its entry. Points are earned for their grills (which range from a huge steam boiler to the converted back end of a '63 Cadillac), their table setting for the judges' benefit, a song or skit worked up especially for this contest, which often includes spectators, and their flair as a barbecuer.

Most teams compete in several cook-offs each year and have large followings who cheer them.

The only all-female team in competition will make an appearance at this event. Calling themselves the "Baws Hogs," five women from Cape Girardeau have won top honors in every contest they have entered.

Team captain Linda Thomason says, "We still aren't taken seriously in the barbecue world despite the fact that we are winners in all categories. We are hoping for a big

win in St. Louis to change all that."

Other contestants include the "Bore Hogs" from Caruthersville, Mo., "Ziggy's Piggys" from Memphis, Tenn., Lil' Jake's Bar-B-Q from Kansas City, Mo., and the Pawnee Pork Scorcher, who will bring a 15-foot Cheyenne Indian tepee and a trio of practicing American mountain men skilled in wilderness survival and historical research of the St. Louis and Rocky Mountain fur trade.

Three stages of jazz, country western and contemporary music will complement the barbecuers as they fire-up their grills from 4 p.m. Friday through 6 p.m. Sunday. A fireworks spectacular will take place from 9:30 to 10 p.m. on Saturday.

Times of the festivities are Friday, 4 to 11 p.m.; Saturday, 11 a.m. to 11 p.m.; and Sunday, noon to 6 p.m.

A city ordinance prohibiting carry-on alcoholic beverages will be enforced.

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# Obituaries



**Walter Gasparovic**  
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Walter E. Gasparovic Sr., 75, a 66-year resident of Granite City, died at 11:35 a.m. Wednesday, Aug. 21, 1985, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center. He was hospitalized for one week.

Mr. Gasparovic was born in St. Louis. He was a member of the Teamsters Union in East St. Louis and retired as a truck driver in 1975.

He was a member of St. Joseph Catholic Church and worked after retirement as a school crossing guard for Sacred Heart-St. Joseph School.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Mrs. Virginia Juanita (Jackson) Gasparovic, and a brother, Andrew Gasparovic Jr.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Peter (Betty June) Schmid, Granite City, and Miss Linda Faye Gasparovic, St. Louis; one son, Walter Gasparovic Jr., Chicago; three sisters, Mrs. Edward (Rose) Wiesler, Glen Carbon, Mrs. Charles (Emily) Nebiker, Granite City, and Mrs. Otto (Doris Jean) Buer, Ballwin, Mo.; and one brother, Matthew Gasparovic of Granite City.

Visitation will begin at 5 p.m. Friday at Mercer Mortuary, 1416 Niedringhaus Ave., where the Rosary will be recited Friday at 7 p.m. Funeral services will be Saturday at 9 a.m. at St. Joseph Catholic Church, 2101 State St., Edwardsville Calvary Cemetery, Edwardsville Township.

Elizabeth Medical Center. She was admitted to the hospital on July 11. Born in Breese, Ill., she also lived in St. Louis prior to moving to this area 7 years ago.

Mrs. Medaris was a member of St. John United Church of Christ and Gabriel Shrine 78, Order of the White Shrine of Jerusalem.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Edward Medaris, in 1965, and a brother, Emmett Buehler.

Survivors include one brother, Carl Buehler, Granite City, and nieces and nephews.

Visitation will be from 6 to 9 p.m. Friday at Irwin Chapel for Funerals, 2801 Madison Ave., where the Rev. Alana Reiter will officiate at memorial services at 7 p.m. Friday. Graveside services will be Saturday, Aug. 24, at Carlyle Cemetery, Carlyle, Ill.

Calvin Lewis, 14, of 2625 Lincoln Ave. was fatally injured in a tractor accident in Osaage County, Mo., near the summer home of his parents.

He was pronounced dead at 12:53 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 21, 1985, by coroner Morton Osaage County, Mo., coroner.

According to Morton, Calvin Lewis and a friend were riding on a tractor along a country road, and it is believed the vehicle went "out of gear" and Calvin fell off and was run over by the tractor.

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John C. Haynes, 62, of 431 Carroll Lane, Glen Carbon, formerly of Granite City, died at 12:03 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 20, 1985, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center. He had been ill for six days and hospitalized the same length of time.

Mr. Haynes was born Feb. 18, 1923, in Malden, Mo.

He retired in 1960 as a roller from Granite City Steel Company after 40 years of service.

Mr. Haynes was of the Baptist faith, served in the U.S. Army-Air Force from 1942 until 1945, was a member of the Granite City Elks, a former member of the Moose Lodge, a former Boy Scout leader, was active in the Kiwanis baseball league, and was an avid outdoorsman.

Survivors include his wife, Lois Elwanda (Foresehe) Haynes; two sons, John Craig Haynes of South Roxana and Don R. Haynes of Naperville, Ill.; one daughter, Mrs. Leonard (Pamela) Wendel of Springfield, Ill.; two brothers, Lloyd Haynes of Staunton and Sam Haynes of New Hampshire; one sister, Ruby Kossman of New Haven, Mo.; and four grandchildren.

Visitation was held from 7 to 9 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 21, and will be held from 8 a.m. to 9 p.m. today, Aug. 22, at Bob Thomas Memorial Mortuary, 2205 Pontoon Road. Services will be held at 10 a.m. Friday, Aug. 23, at the Rev. Harold Maynard officiating. Burial will be at Sunset Hill Cemetery, Edwardsville Township.

Memorials may be sent to the Elks Crippled Children, Granite City Chapter.

**Edna Medearis**

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**Mrs. Ora Anderson**  
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She died at 12:10 a.m. Tuesday, Aug. 20, 1985, at Madison County Nursing Home, Edwardsville, where she resided for five years.

Born in Carlinville, Ill., Mrs. Anderson lived in Granite City for 63 years and later was a resident of Venice for 13 years. She was of the Methodist faith and was a member of the Venice Senior Citizens Club.

Her husband, Walter Anderson, died in 1966.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Dorothy Leiffer, Scottsdale, Ariz., and Mrs. Robert (Anna) King of Granite City; five grandchildren, five great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren.

The Rev. John Davis will officiate at funeral services at 10 a.m. Wednesday, Aug. 28, at Thomas Mortuary, with burial in Sunset Hill Cemetery, Edwardsville Township. Memorials are requested for Madison County Nursing Home.

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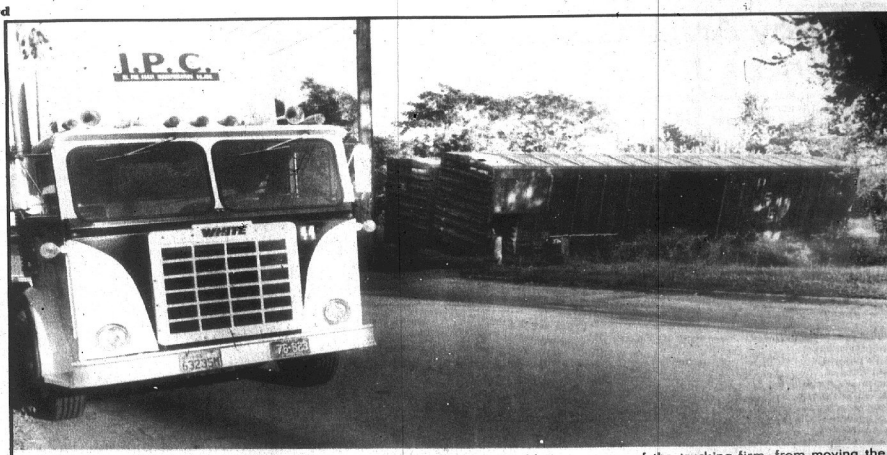
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**RESUMING TRAIN CAR MOVING.** An Ill-Pacific Coast Transportation tractor parks in the 1500 block of Market Street in Venice Tuesday night after moving a refrigerated railroad car, one of two in background, to a lot in that block. The city of Madison issued a stop order in March of this year preventing Gerald Moss, owner of the trucking firm, from moving the train cars to his property in that city. Possible zoning violations and violation of transportation regulations, including street weight limits were cited by Madison officials when the stop order was issued. (Staff photo by Patrick Foley)

## Mass services conducted for Mrs. Schwarzauber

Mass for Mrs. Rosemary "Rosie" (Menendez) Schwarzauber, 53, of Belleville, the sister of a Granite City resident, was said at 11 a.m. Friday, Aug. 16, at Our Lady Queen of Peace Church in Belleville, with the Rev. John McElvilly officiating.

Burial was in Mount Carmel Cemetery, Belleville.

Mrs. Schwarzauber died Tuesday, Aug. 13, 1985, at Erlin Desloge-St. Louis University Hospital in St. Louis.

Among the survivors are a brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur (Carolyn) Menendez of Granite City.

**MICROWAVE IS STOLEN**

A microwave oven valued at \$300 was taken by burglars from the home of Edward W. Suyvan, 2611 E. 24th St., he reported Aug. 17. Entry was gained through a rear door at the dwelling.

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## Funeral rites for mother of GC man

The Rev. Walter MacPherson officiated at funeral services on Tuesday, Aug. 20, at 11 a.m. at St. Martin of Tours Church, Washington Park, for Elizabeth Ann McIntosh, 55, of Washington Park, mother of Ricki Lynn McIntosh of Granite City.

She died Saturday, Aug. 17, 1985, at St. Elizabeth's Hospital in Belleville.

Other survivors include her husband, Henry A. McIntosh; four other sons; a daughter; two sisters; eight grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

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By DAVE WHALEY

GRANITE CITY — Twelve teachers were rehired by the Granite City School Board Aug. 20.

Former superintendent B.J. Davis was among those teachers assigned new positions for the 1985-86 school year, which begins Tuesday.

Those recalled include: Linda Hill, physical education, high school; Terry Papa, physical education, high school; Margaret Reidelberger, science, Coolidge Junior High; Philip Smith, upper intermediate, Maryville School; Norma Schroeder, physical education, Maryville; Catherine Drake, lower intermediate, Mitchell; Clabbe Briggs, physical education, Mitchell; Vicki Sine, lower primary, Parkview; Davis, Chapter 1 math.

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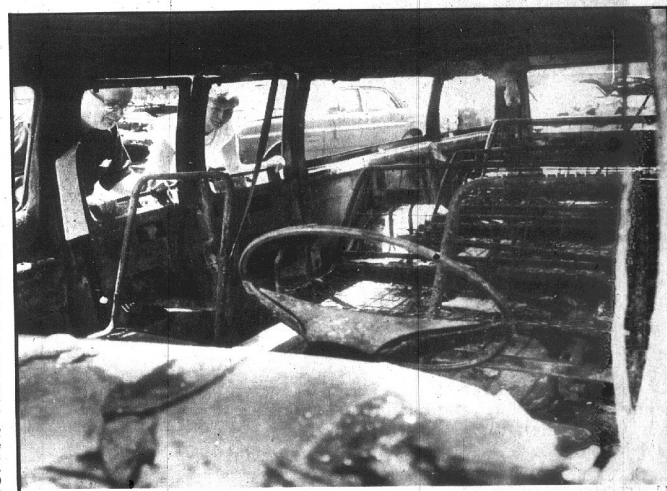
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**OATH VAN BURNED.** Officials of the Organization for the Advancement of The Handicapped, 7th and State streets in Madison, inspect the charred interior of the agency's van that was stolen during a burglary in Venice Tuesday morning. The van was recovered in East St. Louis stripped and burned. At left is Milton Morris, president of OATH, and at right is Krista Bruns, director of the agency. (Staff photo by Patrick Foley)



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# Thurslay SPORTS

## Training Camp

### Gaudreault: A Warrior battling for comeback

By ALAN I. GERSTENECKER  
Executive Sports Editor

GRANITE CITY — Ask any athlete. The most difficult thing to do is put together two very successful seasons.

In baseball, back to back .300 plus seasons at the plate is most difficult. For a pitcher it's even more difficult to win 20 games in successive seasons.

In soccer it's to lead a team in goals scored.

So often after an athlete experiences a banner season, one in which throws him into the limelight and stardom, the fans' and team's expectations of him are, perhaps too great. Those expectations, and self-imposed pressure he puts on himself trying to meet those expectations, are often his downfall.

**TAKE AN** athlete such as that and for good measure throw in a severe leg injury — one which required reconstructive surgery and months of rehabilitation — and you've concocted the scenario facing Dennis Gaudreault of the Granite City High School soccer team.

Gaudreault, a 17-year-old senior midfielder for Coach Gene Baker's squad, has just that type of season ahead.

Gaudreault was the darling of last year's Warrior soccer team. A junior, he was a good player, but at the start of the season there were better, the seniors, for example. The list was long and impressive.

**HIS RISE** to stardom was a surprise to many. A back, he was moved to midfield in an attempt by the Warrior braintrust to pump new blood into an anemic Warrior offense.

From his defensive position he seldom got within shooting range of the opposition's goal. But after moving up his offensive firepower blossomed.

Through seven games into the season he had seven goals, three two-goal games and another one-goal effort.

**HE PUMPED** new life into team which had been unable to capitalize on its talent which seemed to be as deep as the field is long. In a few games he had started the Warriors' scoring machine and become its leading scorer.

In the high school soccer community, the Warriors are constantly monitored by scouts and envious coaches. They eye, they scrutinize, they imitate.

Caught in this scrutiny they couldn't help but notice Gaudreault. By the eighth game, Gaudreault had not only become the focus of local newspapers, but other area media as well.

The eighth game.

The eighth game was in Quincy,

against Notre Dame. It's a game Gaudreault can recall better than any other.

Apparently, Gaudreault's recent successes had reached that far north. Or at least the Raiders were defending him like they had.

Quincy, which advanced to last year's state tournament, is always a tough opponent, and even tougher when your leading scorer is knocked out of the game with a broken tibia and torn ligaments in his lower right leg. The Warriors lost that game to the Raiders, but more importantly they lost their leading scorer and their scoring punch.

"**SURE I** remember it," Gaudreault said. "I've had a whole season to think about it."

"I was dribbling near one side. I had all my weight on my right leg when he hit me," Gaudreault said of All-Stater Greg Reiss. "He hit me and then turned his legs like this," he said moving his legs in a scissor-like manner. "I guess he was trying a sliding tackle."

There was no foul called and there were no yellow cards. Only a fallen Warrior and the pain that persisted long after an immediate trip to the hospital.

"I didn't think it was that bad at first, and I remember trying to get up," Gaudreault said. "When I did I knew all I could do then was sit and wait for the ambulance."

**HELPING** him remember the incident is a scar on his right leg, the stiffness he still feels from time to time and the brace he wears on his leg, which is neatly concealed behind his shin guards.

Notre Dame's impending victory was more than just a victory over the Warriors. The game simultaneously silenced the Warriors' offense, which was beginning to revolve around Gaudreault.

Looking back, that might have been the turning point for both teams. Notre Dame won and ultimately advanced to the state tournament, and the Warriors, suffered a severe setback.

With Gaudreault, its nucleus, gone, the Warriors were without their big gun and as the season waned it began to show. The Warriors slipped back into a docile offense, scoring on the average of two goals a game.

**WHEN THEIR** season ended, they finished as tri-champions of their conference — an honor they usually won outright without contention — and with a 12-5-3 record and failed, for the first time in several years, to earn a bid in the state tournament.

How can one person have such an effect on a whole team? The answer was two-fold. Not only did the Warriors lose an integral part of their arsenal in Gaudreault, but the inci-



**GUTSY GAUDREULT.** Dennis Gaudreault, a scoring sensation for Warrior soccer team last year before his season-ending leg injury, will attempt a comeback this season. Gaudreault, a senior this season, is hoping to continue this season where he left last year. Above, Gaudreault works out with his teammates during a workout Tuesday while the inset photo shows his lighter side.

(Staff photos by Alan I. Gerstenecker)

dent of losing him — the manner in which he was lost — was devastating. In Quincy, against the highly-touted Raiders. And in a direct confrontation with Reiss, who at that time was already considered to be all-state material.

With Gaudreault's return to the Warrior lineup this season, Baker is cautiously optimistic.

"**WE'VE** all agreed that Dennis is about 90 percent of what he was last year before the injury," Baker said. "His injury was quite a toughie, but

we feel that his stick-to-itiveness will help him overcome a lot."

"Coming off an injury like that you'd think he'd be a little hesitant (about dribbling down close to the goal). He could be or even should be, but he hasn't shown us anything like that," Baker said. "He hasn't backed off a bit."

"I've seen kids have an injury like that and not come out of it for two years. He's pretty determined to come back. We're working him and the team hard, but we're not going

to push anything right now," Baker said.

**EVEN IF** Gaudreault doesn't make the kind of comeback that both he and his coaches are hoping for, the 6-foot 165-pound midfielder will still have an effect on the team.

"If nothing else, he'll be a confidence builder," Baker said. "Coming back the way he has. We're hoping he'll be back 100 percent by the tournament (Granite City High School's Annual Tournament of Champions)." The tourney begins

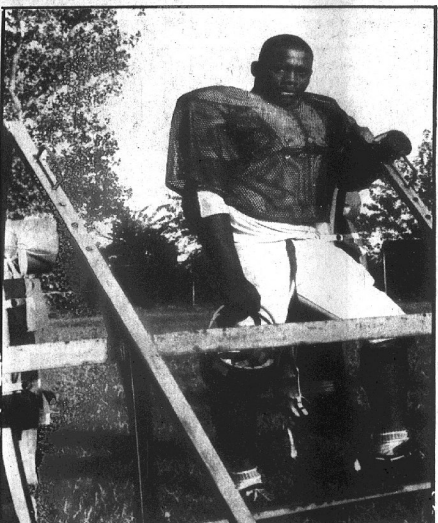
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"He's not really a flashy player, he just gets the job done. He's got a good sense of anticipation. He knows where and when the ball is going to be at the right time," He leads through performance."

As for Gaudreault, what goals has he established for himself this season?

"None really. I don't want to push myself into that. I'm just gonna pick up where I left off last year."

## McCormick changing jerseys, roles for Trojans



**TROJAN workHORSE.** Madison fullback Daryle McCormick, a senior, is switching positions this season hoping to pump new life into the Trojans offense. A two-way player, McCormick switches from tight end to fullback. He will continue to play linebacker on defense.

(Staff photo by Gregg Ochao)

By GREGG OCHAO  
Staff writer

MADISON — No one ever doubted his size, and now his heart.

On defense, Madison's Daryle McCormick could easily be called the "Intimidator." His hard-hitting style is enough to make opposing ball carriers cringe.

He was a force on defense from his linebacking position last year on a Trojan team that was going through a rebirth.

On offense, McCormick had his moments, but he always felt he could do more. This season, he'll get that opportunity. Now McCormick hopes to make a name for himself as the "Ice Pick" — ripping holes into the opponent's defensive line as easily as diver Greg Louganis rips the water from the 10-meter platform.

**McCORMICK**, a senior who has played varsity since his sophomore year, has a new role as the Madison High School football team opens the season. He will start at fullback.

"It started out as a joke. But last year I told coach (Don Smith) I thought I could do it," McCormick said. "He told me if I got some strength in my upper body and some speed in my legs he'd give me a shot."

McCormick spent the off season lifting weights and working out at Vic Tanney. If things work out, considering McCormick's size, that shot might turn out to be an explosion.

**McCORMICK** stands 6-feet, 1-inch and weighs in at 245 pounds. Combine him with Angelo Cross, a 200-pound junior and you've got a solid pair of running backs.

"Some of my friends have told me that we could have the biggest backfield ever to play for Madison," McCormick said.

Smith said the senior is making the adjustment to his new position.

"He carried the ball some his sophomore year, but that season we were so short of players, and because of his size we had to put him on the line."

Now Smith will be able to utilize that size even more. "He's a much better blocker running," Smith said.

**BEHIND** the blocking back in the tandem doesn't bother McCormick. "I don't mind," he says. "If I can open up holes for my teammates and help us win and have a good season that's most important."

Also, McCormick knows he will get his chance. "He'll be my short yardage man," Smith said. "If we need a first down, we'll probably give the ball to him. Who knows, he may get a chance to score some touchdowns and be in spotlight."

Teammates and coaches call McCormick "Ninnie," a nickname bestowed upon him by his mother during his young. McCormick doesn't mind. He smiles and says about it. That's the kind of person he is: light hearted, but hard worker.

"**HE WAS** to work extra hard on his fundamentals," Smith said of the switch to fullback. "He seems to be handling it well."

During a recent practice session, McCormick hustled back to the line of scrimmage after every snap despite the fact he knew on approximately eight of the next 10 plays he would not touch the ball.

"We've talked about it and he understands what his role is. He has adjusted to what we want from him and because he has game experience it comes a little easier. Still, he's been giving 100 percent."

**THE REASON** is simple. McCormick is a senior and he knows what it was like in past years. To most people, Madison football is an after-

thought. After several successful seasons in the 1960s, Madison's program hit hard times.

In fact, Madison is still looking for its first winning season in the last five years. The Trojans were 4-5 last year.

"We want to change things around," McCormick said. "When people talk about Madison they think of basketball, track and sometimes volleyball. But, hardly ever football."

**THE ATTITUDE** adjustment is largely a product of Smith, who begins his third year as the Trojan coach. Smith has instilled a more disciplined approach to practice sessions which the players have taken to.

"He has confidence in us and he works with us," McCormick said.

That, in turn, makes the players work harder. But it wasn't always like that.

"My sophomore and junior years I joked around a lot (in practice). Now I know how those seniors felt," McCormick said. "We don't want to waste any time this year. Everyday coach counts down the days we have left before our first game."

McCormick has taken it upon himself to be the Trojans' leader.

"**WE WANT** to get everybody straightened out. I guess I'm like a Jekyll and Hyde. I joke around some during school, but I'm serious when I get on the field."

Because of his size, McCormick is able to lead by example. "A lot of younger players are afraid of me," he admits. "But I want to help them."

How strong is McCormick? "The other morning he broke the two-man sled. He popped a bolt off," Smith said.

Other players on the team kidded him about the incident as they did

when he was answering a reporter's questions.

The soft-spoken McCormick smiles and adds. "There is no jealousy this year. Everybody is pulling for one another."

**THAT** tight-knit atmosphere comes from his family. There were 14 siblings in the group; nine boys and five girls. They are close.

Daryle's older brother, Perry, started for the Trojans last year and was a key player. Daryle said he learned a lot from Perry.

"We would talk about different teams and who to watch for. (Perry) would always cheer me up. He would always tell me not to get down and keep my head up."

Daryle listened well. As a linebacker he was the Trojans' second leading tackler last year recording over 45. As a tight end, he also turned some heads.

**IT WAS** a game against Waterloo that stands out. "He caught a pass and must have dragged a kid 20 yards," Smith said.

"It was my first catch of the season," McCormick recalled. "We ran a tight end slant. I got the ball and the kid tried to tackle me. He finally got my ankles."

McCormick tumbled to the turf and landed on the pointed end of the football, knocking his wind out and was forced to leave the game. It was an interesting start. McCormick, who runs a 50-yard dash in six seconds, caught 15 passes for Madison last year.

**WITH THE** experience under his belt, McCormick hopes to use that as an advantage. However, there is some uneasiness this season.

"I'm more nervous this year than any other," McCormick said. "Everybody expects a lot from me."

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# Are Cards working a trade to solidify lineup?

**T**hanks to Darrell Porter, his pinch-hit three-run homer in ninth inning last night in Houston, the Cardinals' three-game losing streak ended.

"Wow! It was a lot closer than it had to be. With runners at first and third and one out, I was hoping that Porter wouldn't bounce one to second base for a twin killing. He didn't, of course, and the Cardinals went on to win and in the process gain a game on the Mets who also lost on a ninth-inning home run.

The Redbirds were lucky this time. They got the clutch hit. Sure, the Cardinals have Willie McGee and Tom Herr who are both at the top of the league in batting averages, but, apparently, it still isn't enough. Had it not been for Porter coming off the bench and stroking the ball over the right center-field fence, the outcome could have been different.

Watching last night's game from the comfort of my living room like most Cardinal fans, I couldn't help but get the feeling that the Cardinals were going to let this one slip away. I felt that way even when the Cardinals had their two-run lead. After all, the Redbirds have a history of not playing the Astros well and in the eighth inning, the momentum certainly seemed to favor Houston.

What the Birds need is more muscle in the middle and bottom half of their lineup. They've got the best first four in the league in Vince Coleman through Jack Clark, but beyond that the order is considerably weaker.

They need a stronger fifth, sixth or seventh batter in the lineup. I heard a statistic last night that seemed to tell the story. It went something like this: In games where Vince Coleman scores in the first inning the Cardinals are 25-9.

Hey, that's great, but what isn't said is how Coleman gets around the bases. Sure, he's the best base burglar since Lou Brock, but someone still has to advance him. If Coleman gets on in the first inning, someone has to move him along whether it be McGee, Herr or Clark. What I'm saying is, although Coleman may be a good indicator of the Cardinals' success, someone has to drive him in. And, if McGee, Herr or Clark are slumping the Cardinals are going to lose.

That hasn't happened much. McGee and Herr have avoided prolonged slumps.

Where the Cardinals have been hurting is in the bottom of half of the lineup, sixth through nine, although Ozzie Smith is doing his share.

The Cardinals need another good bat. Terry Pendleton has been slumping lately and his average following last night's game has plummeted to .214.

And what about Andy Van Slyke? Sure, he managed to bloop a single in the top of the ninth to reach and then score the winning-run, but still



## In the Spotlight

By Alan L. Gerstenecker  
Executive Sports Editor

the same his hits are too few and far between. Besides, now batting .303, Tito Landrum is too good not to be playing everyday. The 'Birds need another steady bat!

## This Weekend SLIR hosts inaugural Busch Nationals

ST. LOUIS — More than 24 different classes of racers will compete in the inaugural Busch Nationals sports car races this weekend, Aug. 24-25, at the St. Louis International Raceway — from showroom stock Corvettes and highly modified Mustangs to sophisticated Lotuses and Porsches.

The Sports Car Club of America, the sanctioning body for sports car racing, classifies vehicles by weight and engine size. The 24 different classes resulting from these mea-

surements will race in six different groups in the Busch Nationals.

RACES determine overall group and class winners, with some closely matched racers in the same class often finishing just inches apart. Thus, each event includes a race within a race.

Drivers, including local names like four-time Formula Continental National Champion Terry McKenna, 1984 GT-2 National Champion Morris Clement, will be looking to accrue points toward regional and national

Well, rest easy Cardinal fans. The answer to your prayers may just be in the offing.

Rumor has it that a certain National League East team which has fallen on hard times is interesting in working a deal with the Redbirds. The deal may involve a Cardinal third baseman and a right fielder, both of whom didn't start last night.

For these two and possibly a third (a rising star in the Minor Leagues), the 'Birds would receive a seasoned veteran who plays third base for a steel town nine and whose initials are B.M.

Should the Cardinals work such a deal it would solidify the lower half of their lineup while simultaneously making room in the order for the hard-hitting Landrum.

A trade like that could provide the boost to put the 'Birds over the Mets and catapult them to another National League East crown!

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## McCormick

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coach does and I do. I didn't feel I played well last year. I know I can do better and that means I have to give 101 percent all of the time."

With his motivation already established, Trojan-opponents are forewarned.

All told, Smith is happy of the experiment's success thus far. "If it doesn't work out we'll put him back on the line. We have a lot of backs on this team," the coach said.

CHANGES are McCormick won't let the project stumble. "I like it

there (backfield)," he said.

However, there is just one problem. The switch of positions means McCormick must give up his jersey No. 99.

"Now I'm No. 41," Keith Byars, Ohio State. "Not a bad number at all. Byars is one of this year's leading Heisman Trophy candidates."

"People sort of got used to No. 99," McCormick said. "Now they'll have to get used to No. 41."

Perhaps it's a change for the better.

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# Thursday SPORTS



## Sports of All Sorts

by Al Barnes

### Just Ask Marion Baseball's a team sport

By AL BARNES

World War II forced Major League baseball teams to hold their spring training sessions all north above the Mason and Dixon Line. The measure was intended to save travel and use of the passenger trains to be free for the movement of soldiers, sailors and Marines.

Consequently, the St. Louis Cardinals chose little river town, Cairo, and its Cotter Field for its annual spring trek and the St. Louis Browns, my all time favorites, opted to hold their drills at the Cape Girardeau, Mo., Capaha Field, a tiny, tiny little field. It's so cozy, Capaha, that is, that even I could hit a four-bagger there.

It was at the Cotter Field in Cairo that I first met Marty Marion, who is still my favorite shortstop although I'll confess that Ozzie Smith is a little better, but not much, with the glove than Slat's Marion.

Marion was the complete team player. The first day that the Cardinals worked out at Cairo it was a spring day early in March, 1943. The trip restrictions had started that day. I was a combination reporter-pessman for the Cairo Citizen. The draft board had ruled that I was essential for the war effort, not

because I was a sports reporter, but due to the fact that pressmen were in short supply. There simply weren't pressmen available at that time.

Anyway, there I was, that spring morning in 1943, standing on the sidelines as the Cardinals started their first day of spring training. Marion was warming up alongside the third base line with Frank Crespi, a real smart man, I always thought. Now, however, I don't know. After a lifetime as a bachelor, he is finally getting married this fall.

A couple of Cairo fans were throwing the breeze with Marty and I was listening in. The Cairo guys were doing alright with Marion until they started singling our certain players on the 1942 team which had won the 1942 World Series by demolishing the mighty New York Yankees in five games, 4-1.

As I recall it, the Redbirds cited for special attention by the Cairo guys were Jimmy Brown, Terry Moore, Walker Cooper, Stan Musial, Whitey Kurowski and Enos Slaughter. Marion, after about 10 minutes hearing how those Redbirds had won the Series for St. Louis suddenly blew his top.

"Hey," in approximately this words said Martin: "We all had a big part in winning that World

Series. It was a team effort, and don't you forget it," he snapped. Marty was right and a check of the record books bear him out. He was great at shortstop and saved at least four of the five games played by his great glove work.

For that series Brown hit .300, Moore posted a .294 to go along with his sensational fly catching in centerfield, Walker Cooper raked up a .286 at bat, Whitey Kurowski hit a robust .267 while knocking down everything hit to the hot corner, Enos Slaughter came through with a .263 and down the list were Stan Musial and Martin.

Believe it or not, Musial hit only a weak .222, which was even at that, just twice as much as Marion's .111. However, when we are talking about batting averages, I was surprised, no, shocked it was, when I compared Stan Musial's and Marty Marion's batting averages each compiled in the four World Series they played together as teammates: 1942 they beat the Yankees 4-1 and repeated in 1943 with another 4-1 record. In 1944 they and the Birds beat the Browns, 4-2, and then took the Boston Red Sox in seven, 4-3.

For the four Series, Musial hit, for him, a subpar .231 while Marion posted a .241.

I didn't believe it until I checked it out more than once.

## SportsBriefs

### Junior high football gear pickup

GRANITE CITY — Eighth grade football players at both Griggby and Coolidge Junior High Schools may pick up their equipment on Friday, Aug. 23, from 9 a.m. until noon at both gymnasiums.

Students must have a physical examination slip fill-out before picking up any equipment.

### Scout troop sponsors race

Boy Scout Troop 13 of Granite City is sponsoring both a 10K and a two-mile fun run Monday, Sept. 2, in Granite City.

Sponsored in cooperation with Pepsi-Cola Bottling Company of Alton, the event will begin at 7:30 a.m. at St. Elizabeth Church.

Contestants will vie in five different divisions for men and women: 14 and under; 15-25; 26-35; 36-49 and 50 and older. Plaques will be awarded to the top male and female finisher and medals to the top three finishers in each category.

The entry fee for either the 10K or two-mile fun run is \$4. After registration contestants will receive a Pepsi Challenge 10K T-shirt.

Persons wishing to register for either race should send their name, address, age and birth date, phone number, T-shirt size and which of the two races they plan to participate in to: Boy Scout Troop 13, 32 Oaklawn Drive, Granite City, Ill. 62040.

### Park begins fall leagues

The Granite City Park District is accepting teams to play in its fall softball league. Games will be played on Saturdays and possibly Sundays, according to the number of teams registered.

Teams may be required to play at least two ball games on Saturday or Sunday.

The entry fee is \$100 plus a \$25 forfeit fee that will be returned at the end of the season if that team does not forfeit any game throughout the season.

The roster limit is 20, but teams must consist of at least 15 people.

There is a fee of \$17.50 for any player who does not live in the Granite City Park District. Games will be played on diamonds No. 2 and 8 in Wilson Park.

For more information, persons should contact John Lakin, recreation supervisor at 877-3659.

### DU meeting this Tuesday

With the annual Duck Unlimited banquet just two weeks away, Granite City chapter president Tony Zedolek has scheduled two final meetings in preparation for the annual fund raiser.

Local DU members will meet this Tuesday, Aug. 27, to begin final preparations for the banquet. Persons wishing to join the local DU chapter and familiarize themselves with some of the officers may should call Zedolek before attending the meeting. Meetings are held at 7 p.m. at Zedolek's home.

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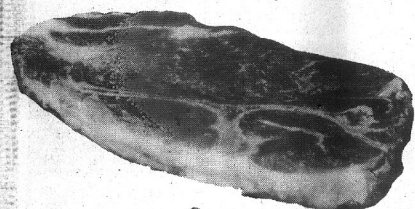
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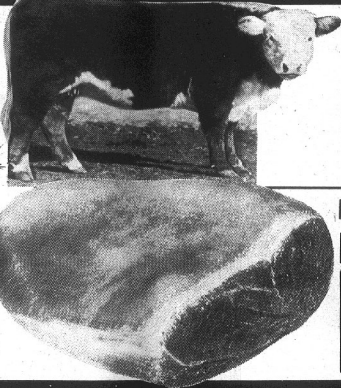
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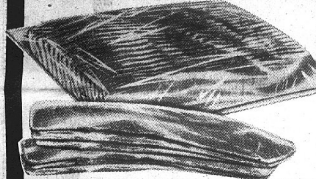
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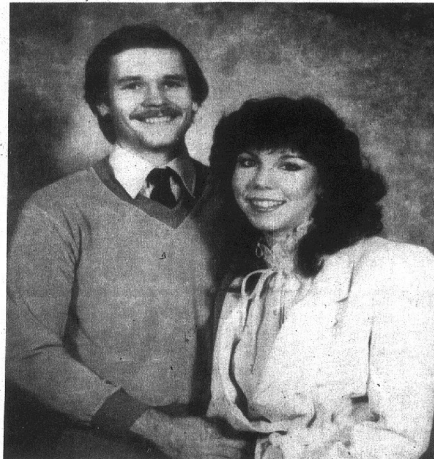
Janice Peterson and Timothy Phelps

## Peterson-Phelps

Janice Kay Peterson, the daughter of Robert and Mary Peterson of Edwardsville, and Timothy Alan Phelps, the son of Gary and Barbara Phelps of Granite City, have announced their engagement. She is a 1982 graduate of Patricia Stevens Career College and is

employed by a firm in St. Louis. He is a senior student at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville and is currently employed at the Holiday Inn, St. Louis.

The couple will be married March 22, 1986.



Donald Cook and Tracy McIntyre

Tracy Lynn McIntyre, daughter of Daniel and Diane McIntyre of Granite City, and Donald Joseph Cook, son of Richard and Maryann Slecka of Granite City, are to be married.

McIntyre is a 1978 graduate of Granite City High School North and a 1980 graduate of Lewis and Clark Community College. She is

employed by Grant Medical Clinic of St. Louis.

Her fiancé is a 1978 graduate of Granite City High School North and a 1983 graduate of Lewis and Clark Community College, employed by McDonnell Douglas Corp. of St. Louis.

The couple is planning a Sept. 7 wedding at St. Margaret Mary Catholic Church in Granite City.



Mr. and Mrs. John Wiggins

## Wiggins-Straede

Debbie Ann Straede, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Straede, 2581 Boyle Ave., and John Kenneth Wiggins were united in marriage on June 22 at Suburban Baptist Church.

Parents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. Eldred Sellers, 1845 Spring Ave., and Mr. and Mrs. Don Wiggins, 4 Robin Court.

The Rev. Phillip Simcosky officiated at the 6 o'clock evening ceremony, and nuptial selections were provided by Connie Laville, organist, and Cheryl Schoolfield, soloist.

Immediately following the ceremony a reception was held at the Croatian Hall in Madison.

Karen Meyer served as maid of honor with bridesmaids Nancy Hall, Chris Evanoff, Jennifer Marler and Deana Hartline.

Kristin Knox was the flower girl and Philip Mercer served as ring bearer.

Attending the groom as best man was Dave Carnahan. Groomsmen included Don Vitale, a brother of the bride, Jim Wiggins and Sonny Sellers, brothers of the groom, and Kelly Ravelle.

Serving as ushers and candlelighters were Mike Lalich and Joe Stork.

Both young people graduated from Granite City High School North. The bride also graduated from Florissant Valley College and is employed as a legal secretary for Evans and Dixon Attorneys.

The groom is an employee of True Refrigeration Co. They are residing in Granite City.

## Former residents mark anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Gaylon (Mary Jane) Blair of O'Fallon, Mo., celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary at a reception at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Howard (Felecia) Ruse of St. Peters, Mo.

Mr. Blair and the former Jane Goodman of Granite City were married at the Dexter, Mo., Church of God in 1960 by the Rev. Aubrey Blair, father of the groom.

He is employed at Drug Package Co., O'Fallon, Mo., where he has worked for 27 years as assistant manager. Mrs. Blair is employed as a laboratory technician for Monsanto Chemical Co. in O'Fallon.

They are the parents of three children, Felecia Ruse of St. Peters and Gaylon Roy Blair Jr. and Douglas Spencer Blair, both residing at home.

There is one grandchild.



Mr. and Mrs. Gaylon Blair

## Marriage Licenses

Marriage licenses issued through the office of Evelyn Bowles, county clerk, Edwardsville, to Quad-City residents include:

Richard N. Domitrovich and Donna F. Adler, Thomas P. Feecey and Kathy J. Burris, Darrell Wayne Hankins and Christi Kay Adams, James D. Harris and Angela M. Delmaris, Ralph C. Henderson and Carol M. Williams, all of Granite City.

Robert J. Koesterer and Lisa A. Davis, Neil Scott Luckett and Carrie Irene Miller, Morris Lee Roney Jr. and Donnetta Kay Goodman, Mark W. Salanik and Olivia Ramirez, Anton J. Welch Jr. and Rebecca R. Rogers, all of Granite City.

Charles G. Cadell III and Dorothy J. Holt, Robert L. Rupprecht and Edna Ruth Kowalski, all of Madison. Bernard Joseph Anderson, Belleville, and Dawn Marie Hartline, Granite City.

Chris Allen Blakeburn, Granite City, and Beverly Yvonne Bell, Youngsville, N.C.

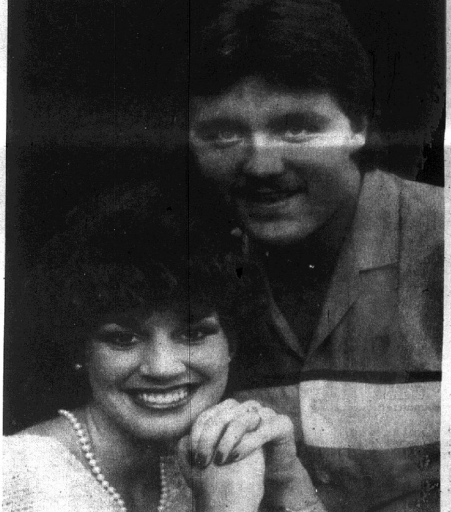
Michael A. Cuvar, Granite City, and Kendra J. Townzen, Madison, William Robert Dolonic Jr., Granite City, and Barbara Marie Heidoerfer, Troy, Ill.

Willie M. Isom, Centerville, Ill., and Brenda F. Joiner, Venice.

## Granite City 4-H'er gets 'A' rating at state fair

SPRINGFIELD — Kristina Goff of Granite City received an 'A' rating at the Illinois State Fair for her house plant exhibit.

More than 7,000 Illinois youths exhibited projects in the Junior Division of the fair. Goff is among 125,000 youths involved in the 4-H program, which is conducted by the University of Illinois Cooperative Extension Service.



Christine Bertsch and Jimmy Dean

## Bertsch-Dean

Christine Ann Bertsch, daughter of Donald and Judith Rue of Granite City, and Jimmy Dewayne Dean, son of Dale and Mary Boyd of Granite City, have announced their engagement.

Bertsch, of Granite City, is a 1983 graduate of Granite City High

School North, employed by CPT Corporation of St. Louis as a secretary.

Dean, also a 1983 graduate of Granite City High School North, is employed by Kentucky Fried Chicken of St. Louis as a manager.

The couple is planning a Nov. 16 wedding at Tri-City Park Tabernacle in Granite City.

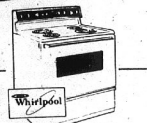
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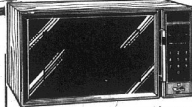
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## Nativity of Virgin Mary to mark 85th anniversary

The 85th anniversary of the Nativity of the Virgin Mary Orthodox Church, 416 Ewing Ave., Madison, will be observed during the weekend of Sept. 14 and 15.

The Rev. Thomas Succarotte, pastor of the church, and Robert Butchko are to serve as general chairmen.

They announced his Beatitude Metropolitan Theodosius (Lazor), primate of the Orthodox Church in America, and Bishop Boris (Geeza), bishop of Chicago, and the Midwest Diocese will celebrate the parish's 85th year as a religious community in Madison.

This church is the oldest orthodox church in the metropolitan St. Louis area and one of the oldest religious buildings in Madison.

Metropolitan Theodosius served as rector of the Madison parish from 1961 to 1965. During his pastorate, the new church building was built and he was elected metropolitan of the Orthodox Church in America in 1977.

He and Bishop Boris will participate in the service of Great Vespers at 6 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 14. Following the vespers, there will be a tea in the church hall hosted by the Sisterhood of Myrr-Bearing Women, who recently celebrated their 50th anniversary.

The Hierarchal (Pontifical) Divine Liturgy will begin with the entrance to the church and vesting



**ANNIVERSARY COMMITTEE** of the Nativity of the Virgin Mary Orthodox Church. They are completing plans for the celebration of the 85th year of the church in Madison, to take place Sept. 14 and 15. Front row from left: Ruth Tedesco, Karen Butchko, Harry Frintzko, the Rev. Thomas Succarotte, Robert Butchko, Sandra Ellis and Ann Butchko. Back row: Agnes Frintzko, Sophia Greene, Magdalene Frintzko, Nick Huniak, George Butchko, Antoinette Simurda.

of the bishops at 9 a.m. Sunday, Sept. 15. The liturgy will begin at 9:30 a.m.

A banquet, to be catered by the Cyprian Family Caterers of Highland, Ill., will be served at 1 p.m. Sunday at the Croatian Home, 10th Street and Madison Avenue. Ticket dona-

tions for adults will be \$10 and \$5 for children from 6 to 12 years of age. There also will be a cash bar, and tickets are available by contacting Agnes Frintzko at 797-0196 or 1-314-441-1287.

A commemorative book of the anniversary is being prepared as a

memento and will contain messages from the church hierarchy, pastor, dignitaries and parish history with photographs of the parish and its organizations, advertisements, boosters and patrons of the community.

## Cloverview Club hosts anniversary meeting

Area garden club members were entertained by Cloverview Garden Club at a special program in the Brown Recreation Center for commemorating the 30th anniversary of garden club work.

Mrs. Ray Williamson, president, welcomed the guests and introduced the speaker, Dr. John McCall, professor of psychology at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville, and a member of the St. Louis and South-Western Audubon Society.

"Birds in Your Back Yard" was the title of the slides he showed, many of which were taken in his own yard in Edwardsville where he has shrubs and pools, making it a bird sanctuary.

After a potluck luncheon, Mrs. B.C. O'Neill introduced Mrs. Robert Ray, vice-chairman of District V, Garden Club of Illinois Inc., who gave a flower arranging program using roses from her home garden in Wood River.

She said she has 400 rose bushes that she and her husband have cultivated. Mrs. Ray, as a member of the American Rose Society is an accredited rose show judge, instructor and accredited arrangement judge, a consulting rosarian and is president of Lewis & Clark Rose Society.

She also writes a monthly rose culture column for the *Alton Telegraph*. She is National Shrine of State Garden Clubs accredited flower show judge; is secretary of the St. Louis Council of accredited flower show judges and has judged

in numerous flower and horticulture shows throughout Illinois, Missouri, Indiana, Kentucky and Iowa.

Co-chairmen were Mrs. John Egan, Mrs. Eldon Melkamp, Mrs. George Knapp, Mrs. B.C. O'Neill, Mrs. Kenneth Brokaw and Mrs. Ray Williamson.

Others attending from Cloverview were: Mesdames Clarence Etheridge, Charles Gandorla, Louise Sedlack, Albert Taylor and guests, Mrs. Louise Anderson, Mrs. Betty Lyons, and Mrs. Ruth Jensen, president of the local Audubon Society. Mrs. Charles Kohl, represented Gardenaires, Mrs. Helen Milha and Mrs. Wilmer Winter, Garden Study, Terrace Garden Club, Mrs. John Kirchoff and Mrs. Charles Hickman, Thorngate, Mrs. Betty King, June Lux, Lillian Delp, Enid Bellu and Beula Miller.

From Mascoutah, Garden Club, Mrs. Dan Chamberlain—chairman of District V, Garden Club of Illinois, and Mrs. Euna Klingel, Ellen Perrot, Mrs. Lillian Heber, Della Mae Campbell, Dorothy Muehl, Josephine Moll, Eileen Hass and Lucille Scheske.

Ron Kell of the "Floral Essence" flower shop in Granite City presented the Cloverview Club with a table centerpiece which was later given as an attendance prize to Mrs. Scheske.

The September meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Knapp, 101 Northland Drive, Glen Carbon.

## DAV scholarship applications available

Applications for the Scholarship Program for the Fall, 1986 term, will be available from National DAV Headquarters on Sept. 1, 1985.

The scholarship program is designed to assist the children of service-connected disabled veterans whose parents are unable to provide the cost of a college education. In order to compete for a DAV award, an applicant must:

Have a parent who is a service-connected disabled veteran suffering from disease or injury recognized by the VA or military as having been incurred or aggravated by military service which terminated with an honorable discharge. (The parent need not be a member of DAV.)

Be a senior in a public, parochial or independent school or a freshman, sophomore or junior in good standing at an accredited college/university in the United States and taking undergraduate studies leading to a bachelor's degree. Scholarships are not available for

part-time, vocational or graduate studies.

Students who wish to enter the competition for a 1986 award must take the Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT) and no other test scores are acceptable. The brochure which will accompany the 1986 application will explain in detail how to register for this test.

Scholarship awards range from a minimum of \$200 to a maximum of \$3,000 a year and are subject to renewal each year based on the academic record and the financial need of the recipient. Payments are made directly to the college or university to be credited to the student's account.

Applications will be available from National Headquarters beginning Sept. 1, 1985, and must be completed and returned before Nov. 15, 1985. Students who wish to apply should write to Disabled American Veterans National Headquarters, P.O. Box 14301, Cincinnati, Ohio 45214; Attention: Scholarship.

## Social Notes

**IRA BREWNER** was guest of honor at a birthday barbecue and party to celebrate his election as junior vice commander of District Veterans of Foreign Wars, given by his wife, Mrs. Shirley Brenner.

One of the guests, Loretta Rose, celebrated her birthday at the same event.

Out-of-town guests included Eleanor Damm, District 12 president of the VFW Auxiliary from Cottage Hill; Eleanor Meyers of East Alton; Judy Blattner, Edwardsville; Gerry Smiechowski of Shawneetown, Ill., sister of Brenner; and Carol and Shelley Newhart, St. Charles, Mo.

Also Rose Wright, Lois and Charles Hansen, Irene and Bill Scherke, Freda Blattner, Harold Gattung, Sandra and Ira Brenner Jr. and Don Jones, all of Granite City.

**ETA CHAPTER** of Phi Tau Omega Sorority entertained at a social meeting at Ervay's Restaurant last week.

Dinner was served and games played, with prizes going to Eunice Hatcher and Shirley Morgan.

Others present were Kate Weddel, Mary Evelyn Yencho and Martha Ruth Thomas. Hostesses were Lorraine Butler, Mille Greshouse, Debbie Wilson and Jan Greshouse.

**VILLA RIDINGS** was a guest at the potluck dinner meeting of the Golden Agers Circle Club at Anchorage Recreation Center last week.

Hostesses were Jennie Moody, Frances Jones, Art Lindner, Ruby Corbitt, Carrie Hart, Caroline Lux and Loretta Wysokil.

Games followed, with prizes presented to Grace Paddock, Nola Heiney, Ruby Corbitt, Peggy Gibbins, Leona Parente and Mildred Rees. The next business meeting will be held at 1:30 p.m. Aug. 27.

## Parents Plus sets benefit car wash

Parents Plus is sponsoring a benefit car wash on Saturday, Aug. 24, in the lot of the Ponderosa Steak House, 1511 Johnson Road. The event will be held from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

The proceeds from the car wash will be used to fund special events for the program's participants.

The cost to have a car washed is \$2.50, the cost for a van is \$4. For more information, interested persons may call Rhonda Daley at 877-4420.

young people of Suburban Baptist Church, 2500 St. Clair Ave., will take place Friday, Aug. 23, at 7 p.m.

Kevin Mattson will be the featured speaker and will give a concert during the evening. He appeared at the 1984 Youth Encounter in Springfield, the minister said.

**REALTORS BOARD** of Granite City hosted a picnic for approximately 220 realtors, lenders, mortgage company personnel and little companies last week. Edwin Reinagel served as master of ceremonies for the day-long event.

Various sporting games were played, with several prizes awarded.

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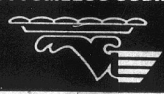
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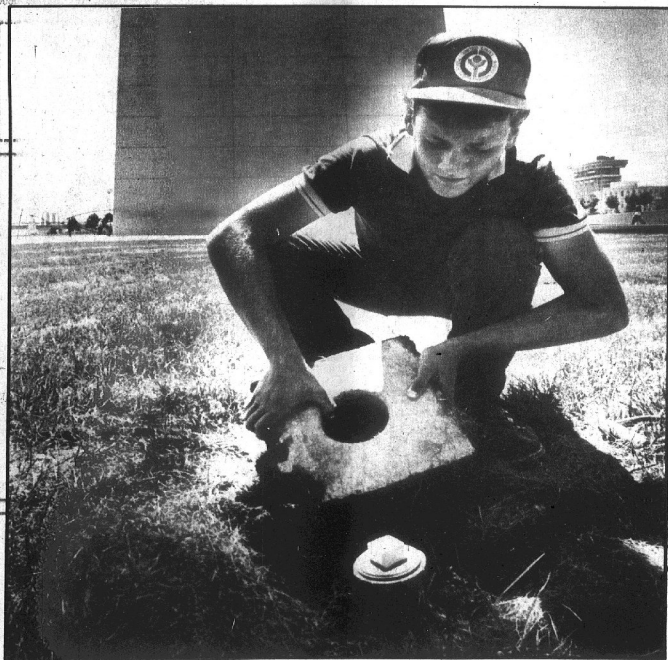
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**TESTING THE WATER.** Kevin Williamson checks the water used to cool the interior of the Arch.



**DRAINAGE PROJECT,** encompassing the Gateway Arch grounds, is completed by Forbes.

By DAVE WHALEY

Staff writer  
How I spent my summer vacation in the shadows of one of the world's most famous landmarks.

That could be the title of a paper written by two Granite City High School students this fall.

Brian Forbes and Kevin Williamson worked eight weeks on the grounds at the Jefferson National Expansion Memorial — that is, the St. Louis Gateway Arch.

They were a part of the Youth Conservation Corps project on the Arch grounds and they loved every minute of it.

**FORBES WORKED** ON the almost 92 acres of ground surrounding the world famous structure, involved in a project to make 63 drain valves easier to manage.

Williamson was working inside the Arch on the heating and air conditioning system.

According to Bob Kelly, facility manager at the expansion memorial, the two were among the finest workers he has ever seen.

**"BOTH OF THEM WERE** magnificent," Kelly said. "This is the first year we have had kids from the Illinois side of the river and, based on what I saw from Brian and Kevin, I'm glad we did it."

Forbes, who will be junior at GCHS, was named a foreman over 15 others after a couple of weeks.

"We give them all a couple of weeks to show their leadership abilities," Kelly said. "Brian exhibited excellent work habits and was well-respected by everyone."

Forbes said he had been hoping to gain a leadership role.

**"I KNEW THEY** would be choosing a couple of people to be in charge," he said. "So I was hoping to be one of them."

It wasn't all easy for them, however.

"We worked a 40-hour week," Forbes said. "But it was from 7



(a.m.) to 3:30 (p.m.). I had to get up most mornings at 5:15.

"I was outside most of the time and it could get pretty hot, especially when we were working down in holes. The sun could really beat down on you then."

**WILLIAMSON WAS** INSIDE working not with others his age, but with veteran journeymen electricians.

"I want to be an industrial electrician someday," he said. "It's something I'd like to do again next summer to get more experience."

Kelly said he was concerned at first with having Williamson, who will also be a junior, work with the older men.

But everything turned out fine, Kelly added.

**"WE KNEW KEVIN** HAD expressed an interest in some electrical type of work," he said. "So we put him to work with the energy management system."

"Sometimes it's tough to work with these gruff old journeymen, but it turned out all right. One time I walked by and asked Kevin how things were going, and then asked the older guy and he gave me a thumbs-up as if to say, 'The kid's all right.'"

While Williamson indicated he

would like to return and make a career of that sort of work, Forbes said it would likely only be a summer job for him. He would like to study medicine.

There were 20 youngsters working on the grounds from June 17 to Aug. 9 at \$3.85 an hour.

**KELLY HAS PLANS** for both Kevin and Brian for next summer.

"I'd love to have them both back, no question about it," he said. "I'd like to get Kevin back to work with the tram system inside the Arch, and I could see Brian working on the same type of things he did this year."

"This is probably one of the finest groups of kids we've ever had down here and Brian and Kevin are two of the major reasons. They had an interest and desire in their work and they always wanted to learn more."

**"IN FACT,** I think some of our electricians learned some things from Kevin."

"Sometimes you don't like to hire kids because they'll spend half of the time standing around. But there wasn't much of that this year. They learned the proper working habits."

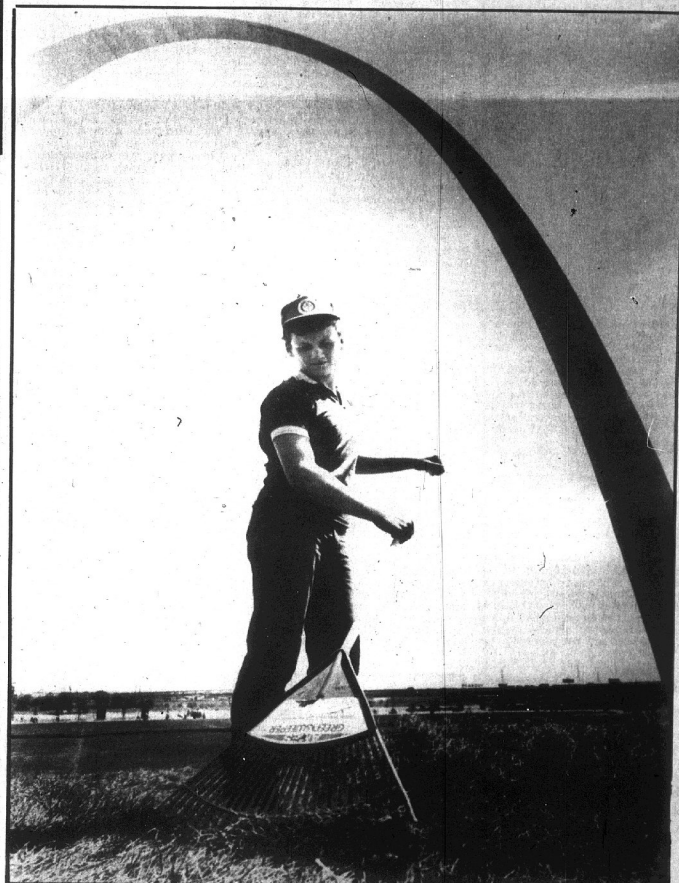
"We brought the parents in on the first day and told them what we expected."

"We didn't let them (the students) go somewhere for lunch. They had to bring their own and eat here. Some of the kids might not have liked it, but they all respected it. I hope they came out of the summer much better for the experience."

**KELLY SAID THE IDEA** for getting Illinois students involved was developed partially because of Granite City students.

"I can remember the Granite City kids always seemed well-behaved and attentive when they came to the Arch on field trips," he said.

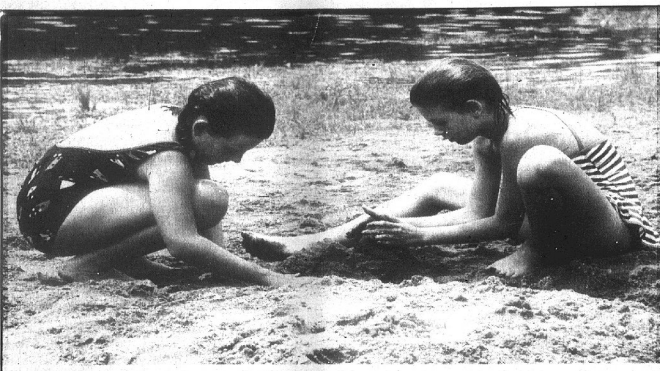
"So we decided to give them a chance. We had five kids from Illinois this summer and they were all great. But none of them were any better than Brian and Kevin."



**WORKING WITH HIS HANDS.** Brian Forbes rakes and aerates the lawn.



# On campus



**CASTLES IN THE SAND.** Leaving the computers for some fun in the sun and sand at Tower Lake are Carla Welch (left), 9, of Granite City and Allison Cerny, 9, of Collinsville. The girls attended a two-week computer camp at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville.

(Photo by SIUE)

## BAC helps managers improve communication skills

Belleville Area College is offering a course for managers who are interested in improving their communication skills.

Communication in Management (BLS 290) will be offered at BAC's Belleville and Granite City campuses this fall. The course will be from 7 to 9:50 p.m. Wednesdays in Room 324 at GCC, 4950 Maryville Road. It will be from 7 to 9:50 p.m. Tuesdays in Room 1364 at the Belleville Campus, 2500 Carlyle Road.

Liz Whetstone of Belleville will

teach the course at both locations.

The course will concentrate on communication from a manager's perspective, rather than on management theory, Whetstone said.

"I believe communication should be one of the basic skills of a manager," she said. "It is the foundation of management."

"The ironic thing is that a lot of business programs in the area don't emphasize the communication aspect of management. People need that training."

Students will develop listening and

interviewing skills, she said. Nonverbal communication skills are also important, she said.

"We will talk about nonverbal signals you need to look for as a manager in meetings, interviews and when evaluating employees," she said. "We will discuss how these nonverbal cues help you understand what people really mean. Sometimes there is a nonverbal message that changes the meaning of their words."

Conflict management is a skill

## Job market is improving for all college graduates

The job market for college graduates shows some improvement over this time last year, but not as much as had been anticipated, according to Max Hansel, coordinator of career planning and placement at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville.

A survey conducted by the College Placement Council says the number of job offers for graduates at the bachelor degree level fared best in the engineering discipline.

Petroleum engineering graduates attracted the highest salary average, rising 4.8 percent to \$40,896, followed by chemical engineering, up 3.7 percent to \$28,428, and electrical engineering, up 3.2 percent to \$27,396.

Hansel said the computer science and social sciences categories showed the biggest surprises of the year, with computer science graduates receiving only a few more offers than last year and a 1.8 percent increase in average salary. Graduates in the social sciences recorded a pay

increase of 6.4 percent, bringing their average yearly salary to \$18,540.

Employers seem to be taking a closer look at graduates with degrees in the liberal arts, Hansel said.

"These students have analytical and communications skills, enabling them to better relate one decision to another," he said.

In the business categories, accounting and marketing received more job offers than last year — however, general business degrees received considerably fewer offers.

On the other hand, all three business categories showed increases in starting salaries, with general business rising 5.2 percent to \$19,632, and accounting and marketing each increasing slightly more than four percent to \$20,364 and \$18,576, respectively.

Hansel said the survey reported

that males graduating with bachelor degrees received the most job offers. However, offers to women increased 10 percent over last year, compared to only three-percent increases in job offers to men.

At the master's degree level, electrical engineering was the undisputed winner for the largest increase in number of offers. These graduates also showed a 5.5 percent gain in salary to \$32,724. Other categories showing increases were civil and mechanical engineering and geology. Both received more job offers, in addition to showing salary increases.

Job offers to master of business administration graduates showed a significant decrease, with little or no movement in starting salaries.

Hansel said the survey was based on offers reported between Sept. 1, 1984, and June 7, 1985.

## SIUE advisement scheduled

The advisement schedule for students planning to enroll in classes leading to the master of business administration degree this fall at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville has been announced.

Advisement is scheduled now through Aug. 23 and Sept. 16 to 22 in Room 3127 of Classroom Building II.

The university's MBA program is fully accredited by the American Assembly of Collegiate School of Business.

Courses leading to the MBA degree are offered on campus in two formats. Classes meet for one four-hour session per week during the

day or one four-hour session per week during the evening throughout the quarter.

MBA classes are also offered on a weekend format at the university's Scott AFB Resident Center and the Westport Center in west St. Louis County.

Additional information on the MBA program and on-campus advisement-registration may be obtained by contacting Bob Schutts in the School of Business 1-682-3840. The fall quarter officially begins Saturday, Sept. 21, with Week End University classes.

## New law provides increase in college scholarships

Gov. James R. Thompson said he has signed a series of bills, including one which provides a record increase in scholarship assistance for undergraduate college students at Illinois schools.

"This legislation is a major step forward for higher education in this state. The financial foundation of education in Illinois is being rebuilt at all levels, now that I've signed other legislation that has provided sweeping reform at the elementary and secondary levels," the governor said.

"Senate Bill 366 will help college students further their education and receive the training they'll need for the economy of tomorrow."

SB 366 increases the annual maximum award for the Monetary Award Program from \$2,400 to \$2,850 for full-time undergraduate students and from \$1,200 to \$1,425 for part-time undergraduate students, the largest increase since the program began.

Since tuition and fees at public institutions in Illinois are below the current maximum award levels, SB 366 will only affect those students enrolled in private Illinois post secondary institutions.

The measure was sponsored by Sen. Forest E. Ehleringer of Aurora and Rep. Mary Lou Cowlishaw of Naperville and takes effect immediately.

Thompson also announced the signing of Senate Bill 75, which amends the Illinois Unemployment Insurance Act. The bill extends the

Unemployment Insurance Solvency Package through January 1987, allowing the state to save \$28.2 million in interest payments on borrowed federal money.

Senate Bill 75 was sponsored by Senate President Philip Rock of Oak Park and Rep. Ethyl Skyles Alexander of Chicago, and it has an immediate effective date.

The governor also said he has signed Senate Bill 693, which would limit private ownership of bears, wolves and other usually untamed animals. Sponsored by Sen. Adeline Geo-Karis of Zion and Rep. Gordon Ropp of Normal, it takes effect immediately.

In other action, Thompson signed Senate Bill 791 which amends the Illinois Personnel Code. The bill was sponsored by Sen. John Davidson of Springfield and Rep. Josephine Oblinger of Auburn and exempts two classifications of employees from job posting, testing and other administrative processing provisions of the Personnel Code.

The legislation is aimed primarily at State Fair and Conservation Services workers who are employed for a limited period each year. Under its provisions, State Fair workers are exempted for up to 29 days in one year. Employees hired by the Department of Conservation's Illinois Conservation Service who work in state parks for a period of one year or less also are exempted. The bill involves approximately 1,000 employees and it takes effect immediately.

## Program helps students find aid

High school and college students in need of private financial aid for their schooling may want to consider The Scholarship Bank.

The Scholarship Bank will send students a print-out of private financial aid for which they appear specifically qualified. There are more than 30 areas of specific information that the computer uses to search for aid.

Areas such as major, occupational goals, religious, geographic preferences, year in school, sports, ethnic and parent's union, employer or memberships may all qualify students for aid. Each student is

guaranteed a print-out of at least 50 sources.

According to this company, private financial aid equals almost 500 million dollars for calendar year 1985, and should equal about one-fourth of a student's entire aid package. Private money is not usually as "need based" as state and federal grants, so students may have an easier time getting it.

Students wishing to use this service may send a business-size, stamped, self-addressed envelope to The Scholarship Bank, 4626 N. Grand, Covina, Calif. 91724. The cost for the service is less than \$25.

## On campus briefs

### Other area colleges

**TWO QUAD CITY AREA RESIDENTS** recently received degrees from St. Louis University during the August graduation ceremonies. Local graduates include Sandra Denise Gray of 2620 Adams St., who received a master degree, and Leonard Matthews of 421 Weaver St., who received a bachelor degree.

**KAREN ANN LAPINSKI** of 701 Lee Ave., Madison, was named to the dean's list at the University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign, for her academic achievements during the spring quarter. Lapinski is an engineering major at the college.

**WALLACE MARIO BRYLAK** of Granite City, received a bachelor's degree in business administration from Trinity University, San Antonio, Tex. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Brylak.

**CAREER PLANNING AND PLACEMENT** Services at Washington University in St. Louis is looking for area businesses to participate in the center's computerized bank for Washington University students. Through this job program, businesses can hire part-time help, summer or seasonal help or temporary workers.

Participation in the part-time job bank connects employers to Washington University students from more than 200 computer terminals on campus. To list a job opening or to find out more about Washington University's part-time job bank, interested persons may call 314-888-5889.

### Belleville Area College

**BELLEVILLE AREA COLLEGE** was awarded four National Association of Counties Achievement Awards on behalf of BAC's Programs and Services for Older Persons. The awards were given for PSOP's carrier watch program, the special services directory for senior citizens and the senior center's education and health programs.

**BELLEVILLE AREA COLLEGE** is offering a welding inspection course this fall. Qualification and Certification Procedures for Welding Inspectors will meet from 9 a.m. to 1:10 p.m. Saturdays, from Aug. 24 to Oct. 26, in Room 1520 at the Belleville campus, 2500 Carlyle Road.

The course will prepare individuals who are working as welders or welding inspectors to take the American Welding Society Inspector Qualification and Certification examination. The course will review an inspector's duties and responsibilities as they apply for certification. A series of tests will be given for students to evaluate their progress.

For more information, interested persons may call Garner Kimbrell, coordinator of the welding program at 1-235-2700, Ext. 378.

**LATE REGISTRATIONS** for fall classes at Belleville Area College will be taken Monday, Aug. 26, through Friday, Aug. 30. There is a \$5 late registration fee. Students may register 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. Monday through Thursday and 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Friday at the Belleville campus.

**BELLEVILLE AREA COLLEGE** is offering a medical office management computer course this fall. Medical Assistant Automation 1 (MA 142) will be offered from 8:45 to 11:45 a.m. on Saturdays in the library computer laboratory at the Belleville campus, 2500 Carlyle Road.

The course is for working medical assistants who wish to keep their skills up-to-date. Enrollment will be limited to 18 students. Tuition for the course is \$37.50. There is an additional lab fee of \$10.

For more information, interested students may call 1-235-7900. Classes begin Saturday, Aug. 24.

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# Entertainment

## Opera Theatre artists to sing during Union Station opening

Baritone Robert Orth, who starred in Opera Theatre of St. Louis' production of "The Barber of Seville," will return to join soprano Kallen Esperian for an evening of nostalgia as Opera Theatre helps St. Louis Union Station celebrate its grand reopening Wednesday, Aug. 28. The duo will perform intermittently throughout the evening, beginning at 7 in the atrium of what was formerly the Terminal Hotel.

The concerts will feature selections from opera, operetta and musical comedy reminiscent of the golden era when train travel and Union Station were in their heyday. Accompanying them will be pianist Kiri Pavitt, music director for Opera Theatre's education and community programs.

Esperian's most recent appearance with Opera Theatre was in the role of Jenny Diver in John Gay's "The Beggar's Opera" in St. Louis, San Antonio and Los Angeles. She also was featured in Opera Theatre's 1983 and 1984 seasons singing the roles of Flora in "La Traviata" and Kate Pinkerton in "Madame Butterfly."

Orth received praise from critics and audiences alike for his critical

portrayal of Figaro in "The Barber of Seville." As a Union Pacific Debut Artist he was also a featured performer in the "A Little Lunch Music" concert series at Christ Church Cathedral.

The Aug. 28 opening of Union Station is a benefit for the Arts and Education Council of Greater St. Louis hosted by St. Louis Union Station and the Omni International Hotel. Providing the evening's entertainment will be various St. Louis organizations funded by the council, including Opera Theatre of St. Louis.

### German museum opens in Canada

A 140-year-old farmhouse in Mississauga, Ontario, Canada, has been restored and recently was converted into Canada's first German museum.

In 1794 William Berczy, a German-born architect and engineer, took one of the first groups of German settlers from Pennsylvania to upper Canada.

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**JAZZ ALL-STARS** will perform at the 26th annual Mitchell Athletic Association fall festival at 8 p.m. Friday, Aug. 23. Left is Ed Jelf and on the right is Skinny Stroud. Not pictured are Jerry Casterno and Frank Kozma.

## Coming events

### Meetings

**WILLING WORKERS** will meet at 10 a.m. Saturday, Aug. 24, at the YMCA, Niedringhaus and Edison avenues. Guest speaker will be Debbie Zedolek, deputy assessor.

**AL-ANON** meets at 8 p.m. today, Aug. 22, at McKinley School, second floor.

**OVEREATERS ANONYMOUS** meets at 2 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 25, in the Nursing Education Room at McKinley School.

**ANOREXIA/BULIMIA SELF-HELP GROUP** meets at 7 p.m. today, Aug. 22, at 2120 Madison Ave., Suite 200. Further information is available by calling 876-7515.

**EMOTIONS ANONYMOUS** meets at 8 p.m. today, Aug. 22, in the CYS building, 1254 Niedringhaus Ave. Further information is available by calling 452-1380 or 876-2383.

### Getting active

**THE TRI-CITY AREA YMCA** will hold a special membership promotion on Saturday, Aug. 24. Persons signing up for any YMCA class at the regular non-member price may pay \$1 for a participating membership. The offer is good between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. Saturday.

**THE MOONLIGHT RAMBLE** will begin at 2 a.m. Sunday, Aug. 25, at Memorial Plaza, 12th and Market streets, St. Louis. Pre-registration is \$2. Late registration tickets costing \$3 will be available the evening of the bicycle ride. Further information is available by calling 1-314-421-2044.

### On stage

**JOHNNY CASH AND JUNE CARTER CASH** are performing now through Sunday, Aug. 25, at the Fox Theatre in St. Louis. Performance times are tonight and Friday at 8 p.m., Saturday at 5 and 9 p.m., and Sunday at 3 and 7 p.m. Tickets costing from \$17.90 to \$7.90 are available at the Fox box office. Ticketmaster locations in all Famous Barr and Dillard's stores, Regal Sports, and Team Togs and Tickets at Chesterfield Mall and Northwest Plaza.

**CHARLIE DANIELS** will appear at the DuQuoin State Fair at 8 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 24.

**EDDIE RABBIT AND CRYSTAL GAYLE** will appear at the DuQuoin State Fair at 8 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 25.

**JACK WAGNER**, singer and daytime television actor, will perform at Six Flags' Old Glory Amphitheater at 4 and 7 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 25.

### Other events

**THE DUQUOIN STATE FAIR** runs Saturday, Aug. 24, through Labor Day in DuQuoin.

**A BENEFIT POLKA DANCE** will be held Saturday, Aug. 24, at the South Broadway Athletic Club, 2801 S. Seventh St., St. Louis. Beer, setups, soda, snacks and dancing from 8:30 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. with the Remede Band are all included in the admission price. For reservations and ticket information, interested persons may call 1-314-776-1725.

**THE MITCHELL ATHLETIC CLUB'S** fall festival will be Friday through Sunday, Aug. 23 through 25. Hours are 6 p.m. to midnight Friday and 1 p.m. to midnight Saturday and Sunday. The event is at the ball fields near Mitchell School in the vicinity of East Chain of Rocks and Greenway Drive.

**PREGNANCY TESTING AND COUNSELING** are available from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Friday, Aug. 23, at the Madison County Urban League, 500 Madison Ave. Medicaid is accepted and no appointment is necessary.

**THE DUNBAR ALUMNI ASSOCIATION** of Madison will sponsor a reception from 3 to 9 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 24, at the Venice Senior Community Center.

**REGISTRATION** will be conducted at the Granite City Campus of Belleville Area College from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 24.

**THE QUAD-CITY UNIT** of the American Cancer Society will sponsor an auction beginning at 2 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 25, at the Granite City Township Hall, 2060 Delmar Ave. Memorabilia from Dal Maxvill, antiques, appliances, toys, tools, furniture and assorted household items will be sold.

**THE FICA BODEOS** will be conducted at 4:30 p.m. Saturday and Sunday, Aug. 24 and 25, at the DuQuoin State Fair. Further information is available by calling 1-800-231-5155.

**GRANITE CITY CAMPUS** will hold advisement from 4:30 to 8:30 p.m. today, Aug. 22, in the main office at GCC. Advisement is by appointment only by calling 931-0600.

**FREE CHILD SITTING SERVICE** is available for parents attending the Belleville Area College orientation from 7:30 to 9 p.m. today, Aug. 22.

### Seniors

**CHOUTEAU TOWNSHIP SENIOR CITIZENS** will meet at 7:30 p.m. today, Aug. 22, at the Chouteau Township Center, 697A N. Thorngate Drive, Mitchell.

### Sharing know-how

**PREPARED CHILDBIRTH CLASSES** for women from six months to delivery are scheduled to begin today, Aug. 22, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

**CARDINAL GLENNON CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL** is offering a babysitting preparation program from 9 a.m. to noon Saturday, Aug. 24. The cost is \$5 per person. Further information is available by calling 1-314-877-5615.

## Youth Orchestra auditions set

The St. Louis Symphony Youth Orchestra has announced preliminary auditions for the 1985-86 season are scheduled for Aug. 29, with final auditions Sept. 7. The application deadline is Aug. 27.

Founded 16 years ago, the Youth Orchestra acquaints young musicians with the atmosphere of a professional orchestra, introduces them to the environment of the St. Louis Symphony and provides them with

the opportunity of investigating and performing a wide spectrum of symphonic music. Members of the Youth Orchestra must be under the age of 22 and be enrolled in the music program of their school.

The Youth Orchestra will perform Nov. 8 and Feb. 28 and May 9, 1986, at Powell Symphony Hall.

To receive an application form, students may contact Margaret Neilson at Powell Hall, 718 N. Grand, St. Louis (1-314-533-2500).

### Flower show planned

A flower and horticultural show will be sponsored by The Garden Club of St. Louis and Ladue Garden Club Friday and Saturday, Sept. 13 and 14, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Throughout Laclede's Landing, starting at the Witte Building, 707 N. Second, exhibitions will be staged in numerous historic buildings. Floral arrangements, horticultural and educational exhibits and St. Louis Plant Society specimens will be featured.

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The Greatest Show on Earth is coming to St. Louis, bringing a host of fresh attractions combined with traditional favorites in 2½ hours of action, suspense, daring and hilarity.

The new Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey Circus opens at the St. Louis Arena on Sept. 17 for 11 performances through Sept. 22.

This season's edition celebrates the 100th anniversary of the first performance of Ringling Bros. Circus. The hands of time are turned back a century as audiences travel down the rhinestone and sawdust trail to meet the five innovative brothers who built the biggest circus the world has ever known.

This season also marks the 125th year of the most romantic of all circus art forms — the flying trapeze. In recognition, The Greatest Show on Earth features Miguel Vazquez, the "greatest" trapeze artist of all time. Vazquez is the first and only person ever to complete the quadruple somersault from the trapeze bar to the hands of the catcher.

Circus producer Kenneth Feld travels the world to bring American audiences world-class artists and exotic animals. This year's show boasts more new young talent than ever before.

The circus exhibits nine rare white tigers from Burma, trained and presented by American-born Wade Burck. Elephant trainer Axel Gautier and his family put 21 pachyderms through their paces in a lively spectacle, "Elephants — Country Style," while French animal trainer Daniel Suskow presents ponies and zebras in a "First Time Anywhere" Liberty exhibition.

Making his American debut this season is Bulgarian bear trainer Venko Lilov with prancing, dancing bears in an Olympic display. Bareback-riding daredevils from Bulgaria, The Riding Romanovs, exhibit equisole on rosinback as they flip, spin and somersault their way around the circus ring. One-wheeled wonders, The King Charles Troupe, unicycle their way into audiences' hearts in their 17th year with The Greatest Show On Earth.

Aerial artistry abounds with the Atlas Highwire Troupe from Bulgaria, performing feats on parallel strands of wound steel. The Survivors, an aerial quartet; America's own Mark David on the single trapeze, attempting a "heel catch" without the aid of a safety net; and at the apex of the arena, the aerial duet, the Duo Kristof.

The ancient art of contortion is revived in this edition of the circus as The Great Delmonte and Nellie Ivanov demonstrate body-bending as well as mind-bending machines under the circus spotlight. World champion acrobats, The Alexs Brothers and The Mosianu Troupe, enthrall all with their athletic abilities.

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**JUST FOR LAUGHS.** The Greatest Show on Earth, Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey Circus, opens Sept. 17 in St. Louis. In addition to the entertainment, interviews for the clown college will be conducted.

Dozens of clowns and dancers fill the arena. Four of the most lavish production spectacles ever staged round out the entertainment extravaganza.

Tickets went on sale Aug. 19 for Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey Circus at the Arena box office, all tickets now locations, including Famous Barr stores, Regal Sports

outlets, by calling Chargit at 1-314-231-1234 or by mail order to the Arena, 5700 Oakland Ave., St. Louis, Mo. 63110.

For additional ticket information, interested persons may call 1-314-644-0900. Special group discounts are available for selected performances and can be arranged by calling 1-314-

997-0904.

While appearing in St. Louis, The Greatest Show On Earth will be holding admission interviews for its Clown College and auditions for female dancers Thursday, Sept. 19, at 4 p.m. at the Arena. For more information on a circus career, those interested may call 1-202-364-5220.

## DuQuoin State Fair to feature Andy Williams

Las Vegas headliner Andy Williams has been signed to appear at the DuQuoin State Fair on Saturday, Aug. 31. Opening for Williams will be Phyllis Diller.

Williams, who appeared at the 1963 fair, has a career in musical-variety television spanning 25 years. He is a veteran of his own network series which ran for 10 years and earned three Emmy Awards, in addition to nearly a dozen additional TV credits. The singer will be accompanied by a 25-piece orchestra.

The unpredictable Diller is

recognized as one of the leading female stand-up comics. A veteran of night clubs spanning the globe, she has appeared on over 75 TV shows.

Tickets are \$14, \$10 and \$6. Persons requesting tickets by mail may send a check or money order to DuQuoin State Fair Ticket Office, P.O.

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Registration is open for the fourth annual poker championships to be held Aug. 27, 28 and 29 to determine the "best poker player in St. Louis." An additional preliminary round has been scheduled for this year's tournament and will be played at 7 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 27, at the Ramada Inn South, I-55 and Lindbergh Blvd., St. Louis. The other preliminary round will be at 7 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 28, at the Park Terrace Hilton, 10330 Natural Bridge Rd., St. Louis.

"Two preliminary rounds are being held to accommodate the growing number of players who want to enter," said Jerry G. Clinton, president and chairman of the board of Grey Eagle Distributors Inc., sponsor of the tournament.

Winners in preliminary rounds will advance to the semifinals round at 7 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 29, at the Park Terrace Hilton. The final game will be played the same evening.

A suggested donation of \$25 per player will be given to the Muscular Dystrophy Association (MDA), Clinton said.

Registration information may be obtained by calling Grey Eagle, 1-314-429-9100. Registration at the door for preliminary rounds will be from 5 to 6:30 for both nights of preliminary competition.

Players 18 years of age and older are eligible to play in the tournament, which is the only legal poker game in Missouri. Players receive nothing of value, and special permission to hold the tournament is given

by the Missouri Department of Liquor Control.

Previous years' winners are expected to again play. They are 1983 champion Joe Hunter of St. Charles, Mo., who is with National Food Stores; Father John Arnold of St. Louis, a Jesuit priest and 1983 winner; and 1984 champion Jeffery Brown of Imperial, Mo., an employee of McDonnell Douglas.

Glenda Bridges of Belleville returns as tournament director. She regularly plays in poker tournaments in Las Vegas and Lake Tahoe, Nev.

"When we began the tournament, our goal was to raise money for the MDA and have fun doing it," Clinton said. "We have raised \$25,000 during the first three years and the tournament grows in numbers each year. It's a great way to fight muscular dystrophy."

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**JUST BEGINNING OR SLOWING DOWN?** We have the perfect 5-room home. Excellent condition. 1633 Venice. Oversize garage, cool. 876-8610. 8/22

**GO AHEAD AND FALL IN LOVE**  
You'll do just that with this 3-bedroom brick home with all the extras. Call for details. Call 876-8610. 8/22

**WANT TO GO FISHING?** Right on the lake. Four bedrooms in all. Dishwasher, central air, double gas grill, fenced yard. A mid \$40's price. 876-8610. 8/22

**TWO BUILDING LOTS**, 100' wide, 100' deep. Call 876-8610. 8/22

**ONLY \$490 BUYS** this 6-room brick. Owner just remodeled and now must sell. New carpet in all rooms. Beautiful family room on first floor too. 876-8610. 8/22

**PEOPLE PLEASER**: 5-room brick with full basement. Brand new kitchen with wood cabinets, dishwasher, electric range. Furnace and air conditioner only two years in the \$400's. 876-8610. 8/22

**LOWER COST**... Good shape. 2-bedroom home with garage... You will want to see this one... 876-8610. 8/22

**OOOHH SO PRETTY**... Home in super condition and location. Maintenance free with well kept, 2-bedroom home with garage... 876-8610. 8/22

**COUNTRY LIVING**: 7-room brick beauty, two baths, 2-car garage. KitchenAide dishwasher... PRIVATE FISHING DOCK and the fish ARE BITING... 876-8610. 8/22

**2 STORY WITH QUALITY PLUS**, four bedrooms, four baths. Rear entrance to double car garage. Charming... 876-8610. 8/22

**2-BEDROOM WHITE ALUMINUM SIDED HOME** sitting on a beautiful landscaped corner lot. Good area... good price... 876-8610. 8/22

**BURSTING AT THE SEAMS?** Need a lot of house for a low price? 86 Cambridge has a lot to offer. Seven rooms, two baths, 22-ft. kitchen. Two car garage too... 876-8610. 8/22

**TAKE THE NESTLE PLUNGE** in this 18-ft. diameter 4-ft. deep pool with deck, 4-bedroom on 1/2-acre. Many extras. Call for details... 876-8610. 8/22





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**NEW LISTING! BELLEMORE AREA.** close to shopping and schools. 3-bedroom brick, 1 1/2 baths, elegantly finished basement, fireplace, 2-car garage, nice kitchen cabinets, plus many other things. MID \$50's.




**LOW, LOW UTILITIES** with this lovely 3-bedroom with fenced back yard. Energy saver furnace, attic fan and well insulated. Keep your payments down by saving on utilities with this home.



**PRICE REDUCED!** 4-bedroom brick at edge of town on one acre lot, sunken living room with wood-burning fireplace, family room, 2 1/2 baths, kitchen with dining area.



**EXECUTIVE LIVING ON WESTMORELAND.** Spacious brick, four bedrooms, living room, dining room, kitchen, den, two woodburning fireplaces, four baths, 2-car garage, etc., etc. PRICED RIGHT.



**PRICE NOW REDUCED TO \$45,000** for the exercise buff. Work out studio in your own home. Complete with ballet bars, this lovely 3-bedroom home has everything. Lots of closets and storage, fenced yard. Lot 80x120.



**NEW LISTING! GREAT NEIGHBORHOOD.** three bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, wood stove in family room in basement, wood-burning stone fireplace in living room, privacy fence and much more.



**SECLUDED 3-BEDROOM BRICK** on nearly two acres, Call Insive. In-ground pool. Under \$90,000.

**NEW LISTING:** This 3-bedroom is approximately \$2,000 to \$3,000 below market. Just \$36,000 will buy it. Drive by 2825 Saratoga!

**LOAN ASSUMPTION:** Approximately \$5,000 will let you assume this 1 to 4-bedroom with central air in a nice quiet area of town close to everything. **FIXER UPPER:** 622 Broadway, Venice. This home has fantastic possibilities. For just \$12,000. Call today.

**PRICE REDUCED!** Edge of town, 4-bedroom brick, 1 1/2 baths, on 90x190-ft. lot. Full basement and a 21x41-ft. above-ground pool. This won't last. Listed in the middle 50's. Call now.

**THIS HOME HAS BEEN REDUCED \$8,000** for a quick sale. Drive by 2512 Roney if it's what you're looking for. Call today - it could be yours for just \$54,900.

**5-ACRE LOT ON KELLY DRIVE.** The owner says sell: They will go for a contract for deed. Call today.

**REDUCED FOR QUICK SALE:** This one's for you, 2712 Denver has so much to offer the right family I couldn't begin to cover it in this space. \$29,500 is just at the top of the list.

**4140 E. LAKE DRIVE:** This lot was sold before it hit the market. Unfortunately due to circumstances beyond the buyers' control, they decided not to move. We had at least a dozen callers on this when it was already sold. So call today if you were one of them.

**CLOSE TO EVERYTHING!** Shop or eat out just minutes away. Very clean, well maintained home with full basement and detached garage. Brick with fenced back yard, corner lot and detached garage.

**COMMERCIAL:** Perfect starter for business or could be larger home. Brick with fenced back yard, corner lot and detached garage.

**BEAUTIFUL FAMILY ROOM** with woodburning fireplace across back of home. Then just step out doors and enjoy the very lovely 19-ft. round pool. Three bedrooms beautifully decorated finishes the picture. New listing a must to see.

**NEW LISTING:** 2-story, three bedrooms, dining room, family room all on first level. Basement, attached garage, central air. A LOT FOR A LITTLE. Low 90's.

**ONE BLOCK FROM PARK:** 2-bedroom brick, huge living room, dining room, attached garage, central air, built-in appliances. Maintenance free.

**SCHOOLS STARTING!** Three bedrooms, 2-car garage on corner lot Frohardt School district, bus lines and shopping.

**\$13,000 BARGAIN!** Three bedrooms, family room, dining room, basement. Vinyl siding.



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**SPECIAL:** Bargain for beginners, 4-room frame home with new roof, new siding and new carpeting. Large front yard and priced at only \$18,000.

**LOW MONTHLY PAYMENTS** are yours with this 3-bedroom home featuring newly remodeled kitchen with built-ins. Lots of closets. New plumbing and wiring. Priced at only \$23,000.

**GLENVIEW SUBDIVISION** - 3-bedroom ranch with remodeled kitchen, attractive carpeting, central air, and deep back yard. Priced at only \$29,900.

**AFFORDABLE PAYMENTS** of approximately \$250 are yours with this 3-bedroom ranch with bright country kitchen with rich wood cabinets. Assumable 8 1/2% loan an extra plus. Fenced yard located near St. Margaret Mary. Priced at only \$30,000.

**ESTABLISHED AREA!** Newly remodeled 2-bedroom home with full basement. Priced at only \$32,500.

**DON'T JUST DRIVE BY THIS ONE** - Come in and see what only \$34,500 will buy. 6-room ranch on the edge of town, nice family room with beamed ceiling, large eat-in kitchen, 2-car carport, large lot.

**A HOME TO CHERISH** - If you like older homes, you'll love this tastefully remodeled home in the Downtown Restoration Society area. Large family room on first floor plus a private room on the third floor - perfect for a den or teenage hideaway. Priced at only \$35,900.

**FRESH APPLES AND PEACHES** from your own large fenced lot. 6-room home with central air. Very affordably priced at only \$37,500.

**INVEST WISELY!** Duplex in excellent condition. Two bedrooms downstairs, one bedroom up. A terrific value at only \$37,900.

**SHOWPLACE KITCHEN** features lovely oak cabinets. 1 1/2-story home, two bedrooms, fenced yard, detached garage and full basement. Dining room could be converted to third bedroom. Priced under \$45,000.

**HARD TO FIND FEATURES** such as open staircase, parlor and beautiful chandeliers can be found in this well maintained and beautifully decorated 7-room home. Lovely kitchen with modern conveniences, full basement with game room and fourth bedroom. Priced at only \$45,000.

**PERFECTION PLUS!** 3-bedroom ranch with finished family room and fourth bedroom in full basement, lovely screened-in porch for your summer enjoyment, 2-car carport. Seeing the inside a must. Priced at only \$54,900.

**ALL BRICK RANCH** - Naver 7-room home with fireplace in family room, modern built-in kitchen, 1 1/2 baths and 2-car garage. Priced at only \$57,000.

**ENJOY THE LEISURE** of country living in this modern, Ponderosa style ranch with majestic stone fireplace, large kitchen, formal dining room, full basement on a cool, shaded 1.78 acres just outside of town. Priced at only \$62,900.

**THE MOST FOR THE HOSTESS!** This gracious home was designed to make entertaining a breeze. 2,000 sq. ft. ranch on a corner lot features breathtaking formal dining room with separate entrance. Priced at only \$68,900.

**A REAL DELIGHT** - Lovely tri-level home with energy efficient solar power. Nine rooms well decorated. Lot beautifully landscaped. Priced at only \$116,000.



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**LUXURIOUS** - From the three spacious bedrooms to the emerald like pool this 7-room brick has everything you could want. The neighborhood is second to none and its within walking distance to school. A good investment at \$89,000. B-6.

**GROWING PAINS?** Then take a look at this older 4-bedroom brick that's in the Restoration Area. With features like a full basement, central air, and a price tag that's lower than you think. It won't last long. Call for L-13.

**LARGE CORNER LOT** - Here is a very nice 3-bedroom brick that is priced in the early \$30's. The whole house is clean, well kept and spacious enough for everybody. Ideal location that's close to everything. L-23.

**MOTHER-IN-LAW QUARTERS** - Here is a living arrangement that can't be beat. There are four bedrooms in the 7-room ranch that has new central air, new roof and new furnace. Behind the main house there is a 2-room cottage for your in-laws. No in-laws? - rent it out. Only \$33,900. L-29.

**THE FISHIN' IS GREAT** - And its not far from this 2-bedroom mobile home that's on over an acre of land in the Corfe area. You will enjoy the cool fall evenings out on the screened porch. Under \$25,000. L-33.

**ITS PRACTICALLY NEW** - And has a beautiful park right outside the back gate. The entire house has been carpeted throughout and its as clean and neat as a pin. After you have seen it you won't believe the \$18,000 price. B-7.

**DRASTIC PRICE REDUCTION** - If you are working on a close budget and think a 3-bedroom home is out of your reach then this ones for you. The stove, refrigerator, washer and dryer stay. Its a steal at \$23,900. R-13.

**LOAN ASSUMPTION** - Don't miss this opportunity to own an attractive 2-bedroom home with a full basement and central air. Immediate occupancy and low payments. R-8.

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**PRICE REDUCED:** New central air, new furnace, new well and city water cover September. 3-bedroom brick with 2-car attached garage. Roof only four years old.

**2868 WASHINGTON:** Large 8-room house, three bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, garage, central air, enclosed large rear porch, patio with built-in brick grill plus much more.

**PRICE REDUCED:** Two bedrooms, living room, kitchen, bath, plus apartment over garage.

**1909 STATE STREET:** Presently church. Lot 50x120, 3,750 sq. ft.

**MOTEL:** 14 units, with office and living quarters. Plus five room house and trailer, great for truck terminals. Well-established. Great income.

**604 E. CHAIN OF ROCKS ROAD.** Large 8-room house with two kitchens and two baths. Three large porches and five bedrooms.

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**5137 LAKEVIEW DRIVE:** Three bedrooms, living room, kitchen/dining room combination, bath, carport.

**MIERWOOD** - Large wooded lot. Perfect for a walk-out lower level and price reduced, reduced and reduced.

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**3 BEDROOM RANCH - ST. ELIZABETH SCHOOL AREA:** Full basement, two car attached garage, cove ceilings, mirrored wall, and two woodburning fireplaces. Nice home in a nice area.

**A NICE HOME IN VENICE:** Move right into this well-kept one bedroom home, two car garage, central air, new roof, well-insulated on nice dead-end street. Only \$20,000.

**JUST 4 BLOCKS FROM GOLF COURSE:** on dead-end street, excellent neighborhood, three bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, central air, woodburning fireplace in living room. Call today for your own personal showing of this lovely home.

**JUST MINUTES FROM CITY:** sits this lovely three bedroom home on approximate one acre. Living room, dining room and family room. Must see to appreciate.

**PRESTIGIOUS PARK RESIDENCE:** Four bedroom brick, woodburning fireplace in living room, two baths, knotty pine walls in basement, and two car garage. Call for appointment.

**NICE QUIET LIVING:** in this three bedroom brick, fourth bedroom in basement, plus paneled family room with bar, two car heated garage with door opener. Come see for yourself. Call today.

**GOOD LOAN ASSUMPTION:** Five rooms, two bedroom bungalow, carpeted throughout, built-in kitchen, aluminum siding and fenced yard. In the \$20's.

**IDEAL QUIET NEIGHBORHOOD:** Close to schools, three bedrooms, two full baths, woodburning fireplace in living room, plus built-in concrete storm shelter, finished basement and two car garage with door opener. So many extras - See to believe.

**LOTS OF HOME FOR THE MONEY:** Six rooms, full finished basement, 1 1/2 baths, new roof, central air, large fenced corner lot. 8 1/2% loan assumption available. Low \$30's.

**DUPLEX IN VENICE:** Excellent income property in good condition throughout. Three rooms and bath up and down. Priced at \$17,500.

**SPACIOUS MODULAR HOME:** Entry foyer, bay window in dining room, three bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, stove, refrigerator, washer, dryer and drapes stay. Everything you need - all for under \$30,000.

**PROFESSIONAL BRICK BUILDING IN ALTON:** Has four apartments with appliances furnished. 2 1/2 car garage and 2850 sq. ft. of Doctor's Office. Plenty of blacktop parking. Convenient location.

**FLUSH APARTMENT AND A BUSINESS TOO:** Seven rooms, three bedrooms, large living room with two electric fireplaces, arched doorways, glass block window areas, paddle fan in dining room. Excellent living quarters on second floor with a 1500 sq. ft. store area on the first floor. Give us a call for details.

**GOOD COMMERCIAL INVESTMENT:** In this well-known Pawn & Camera Shop. Beautifully redone living quarters, lots of cabinets and new wax floor, woodburning fireplace in family room, new carpeting. Very nice building. Can be separate entrance.

**EXCELLENT 2 BEDROOM FRAME HOME:** Good location, large family room, fenced backyard and partial basement. Close to schools, churches, shopping and banking. Just off Maryville Road. Priced to sell today. See soon. Won't last.

**THIS COULD BE YOUR LAST CHANCE:** For this cozy two bedroom home. All new wall to wall carpeting throughout, 1 1/2 attached garage and fenced yard. Close to Maryville School.

**SUPER 3 BEDROOM BRICK IN SUNNYDALE ACRES:** Features a screened and louvered breezeway for your enjoyment. Lovely, well-maintained and waiting for you.

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582-MT-A GREAT opportunity! Small cabin on approximately 10 wooded acres just a few minutes off the interstate.

**580-BEN-HOME WITH TIMBER:** 2-bedroom walnut sided frame on approximately nine acres, mostly timber. 8-10 acre pond, storage, 74,700.

**582-NEED-PEACEFUL RESTFUL:** Smaller home on approximately 48 acres with easy access to I-55. Outbuildings, lots of extras.

**583-STA-YOU-LIKE IT:** 6-room stucco ranch dining room, bar, garage, full basement. \$35,000.

**585-NEED-A-FAMILY DELIGHT:** Newer 3-bedroom frame on approximately two acres. Dining room, full basement. Lots of extras including barn. \$70,000.

**570-STA-YOUR FIRST HOME:** Buy this 5-room, 2-bedroom home, dining room, corner lot. \$25,000.

**584-STA-GET IN:** 2-bedroom, 1 1/2-bath, kitchen plus 2-bedroom home. Main building 2000 sq. ft. with attached storage. Call for details.

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**WATCH FOR OPEN HOUSE AUGUST 25**  
1264 WELLINGTON  
Cozy full brick ranch, three bedrooms with full basement, fenced yard and oversized garage. Perfect for a young family and priced to sell.

**2559 STATE**  
By the park, this full brick 2-bedroom home is ready for immediate occupancy. Plenty of space with full basement and formal dining.

**3004 MOCKINGBIRD**  
Exceptional value on this 1 1/2-story home. Possible 4-bedroom, two full baths, large formal dining room, full finished basement. Nothing to do but move in and enjoy.

**COMMERCIAL**  
Frontage on Johnson Road. Call about build to suit/lease back. . . . Open for ideas.

**3036 MOCKINGBIRD**  
Appealing 3-bedroom brick ranch, 1 1/2 baths, 2-car garage, large family room with fireplace and snack bar. This superbly landscaped home for \$62,900.

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GRS-LOVELY 4 BEDROOM BRICK RANCH in super area, paneled "great rm." features vaulted ceiling, full fin. bant., extra large landscaped yard. Close to swim & golf club. \$79,900.

**CAHNS-SHAPED RANCH!** Freshly painted 3 BR, 2 1/2 baths, full kitchen, full fenced. 10% VA loan assumable. \$50,900.

**GRANITE CITY LISTINGS**  
CR74-2 ACRES EDGE OF TOWN: 1 1/2 story 3 bedrooms, full bath, 1 1/2 car garage, and small barn.

**GRM-LOVELY NEAT & CLEAN SPLIT FOYER:** This 3 BR, 2 bath has a well maintained yard & is in a nice area.

**GRCS-TOTALY REMODELED 2 BR:** Great starter home, new kitchen, bath, wiring, plumbing, roof, walls & flooring. \$49,900.

**HOMES WITH ACREAGE**  
CK6-SECURED 1/4 ACRE WOODED LOT in Collinsville. 1 1/2 story cape cod with 2 car garage and walkout basement. \$69,900.

**CK13-A VISUAL DELIGHT ON 1 ACRE:** is this 3 BR, home with full dining, family & living rm., with fireplace, breakfast rm., adjoining kitchen, screened porch & deck.

**CK9 - ENJOY COUNTRY FRESH LIVING:** in this spacious 3 BR home on 4 1/2 acres, 4 car all barn with paddock area, 2 other outbuildings.

**CR19 - BEAUTIFUL TWO STORY ON 15 ACRES:** magnificent setting, 4 bedrooms, screened in porch, city water.

**CR20-MT. VERNY STYLE BRICK FOYER:** in Wildwood Est. off Hwy. 152. Deck above ground pool, 13 acres, 2400 sq. ft. of quality construction, 2 fireplaces, 4 bedrooms, 2 car garage.

**STJ36-RANCH ON ALMOST 1 ACRE:** 3 BR home has garden, fruit trees, 2 car at. & det. garage.

**OPEN HOUSE**  
SUNDAY, AUGUST 25 1-4 P.M.  
125 OLD FARM RD. (Country Village, Troy)  
4 BR, 2 1/2 baths. \$81,500.

**921 WEAIRIDGE:** (Country Village, Troy)  
3 BR, 2 1/2 baths. \$69,900.

**948 WAGON TRAIL (Country Village, Troy)**  
3 BR, 2 1/2 baths. \$69,900.

**CONSTRUCTION \$97,000**  
LOT 233 BANYON FREE (Collinswood Subdiv.)  
3 BR, 2 1/2 baths. \$104,000.

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## Grants to reduce litter, waste

Springfield — Gov. James R. Thompson has signed legislation creating a board to administer a statewide community-based grant program to reduce litter and solid waste.

"If we are to realize continued progress in the promotion of Illinois tourism and commerce, we must also make progress in cleaning our environment," the governor said. "There is much that can be done by the state, but the most effective approach will come at the local level from Illinois communities themselves."

"The Illinois Clean and Beautiful Advisory Board will encourage cities and towns throughout the state to form local 'Keep America Beautiful' committees. The committees, in turn, will promote local litter reduction programs. No one knows a community's problems better than the people who live there. And no one will benefit more from improvements in a community's image than the people who live in those communities," he said.

House Bill 2487 creates the Illinois Clean and Beautiful Program, authorizing the governor to appoint a 15-member board and authorizing the director of the Department of Community and Commerce to appoint a statewide coordinator to administer a grant program. Grants will be awarded to local organizations and local government units for programs to reduce litter and solid waste.

An appropriation of \$400,000 was included in DCCA's 1986 budget to fund the program.

HB 2487, which was sponsored by Reps. Ralph Capparelli and Myron Kulas and Sen. Leroy Lemke, all of Chicago, will take effect Jan. 1, 1986.

Thompson signed the legislation at the 100th anniversary swearing in ceremony of conservation police, where he signed five other conservation bills. Included were:

— Senate Bill 813, which amends the Illinois Forest Development Act to allow the Department of Conservation to increase from 20 percent to 80 percent its cost share of forestry management programs.

The bill makes a number of changes regulating the amount and manner of wild game taken in Illinois, and it also allows conservation police to operate at night without lights to make arrests and enforce the Wildlife Code.

SB 813 was sponsored by Sens. John Davidson of Springfield, Ralph Dunn of DuQuoin, Laura Kent Donahue of Quincy, Aldo DeAngelis of Olympia Fields, Stanley Weaver of Urbana, Jack Schaffer of Crystal Lake, Adeline Geo-Karis of Zion, Senate Minority Leader James Pate

Philip of Elmhurst and Rep. Josephine Olinger of Auburn. The law will take effect Jan. 1, 1986.

Senate Bill 814, which amends the Snowmobile Registration and Safety Act to provide that snowmobile registration certificates will be effective for three-year periods instead of two years, as provided under current law. The bill also amends the Fish Code of 1971, revising regulations pertaining to taking fish and mussels.

Effective Jan. 1, 1986, HB 814 was sponsored by Sens. William Mahar of Homewood, Davidson, DeAngelis, Weaver, Schaffer, Geo-Karis, Senate Minority Leader Philip and Reps. Judy Koehler of Henry and Rod Stephens of Caseyville.

— Senate Bill 872 amends the Fish Code of 1971 and the Wildlife Code to allow DOC to expend all of the funds obtained from gifts, donations, grants and bequests and 50 percent of the funds from the sale of State Migratory Waterfowl Stamps for the conservation and propagation of waterfowl. As currently written, the bill requires that 50 percent of gifts and 50 percent of stamp sales be shared with nonprofit organizations to develop waterfowl propagation areas in Canada or in the United States outside Illinois. This legislation will increase revenues for waterfowl projects within the state.

The bill, which was sponsored by Sens. Dunn, Donahue and Davidson and Reps. Stephens, David Phelps of Eldorado and Richard Mastine of Springfield, takes effect Jan. 1, 1986.

House Bill 1958 creates "an act to assure payment for wrongfully cut trees." Under the measure, a person found to have wrongfully cut another person's timber will be required to pay three times its value in damages.

Sponsored by Reps. Timothy Johnson of Urbana, Jack Davis of New Lenox, Thomas Ewing of Pontiac, Gene Hoffman of Elmhurst, Sam Vinson of Clinton, John Hallock Jr. of Rockford, Penny Pullen of Park Ridge, Dwight Friedrich of Centerville, House Minority Leader Lee Daniels and Sen. Dunn, the bill takes effect Jan. 1, 1986.

House Bill 2451 creates the Cave Protection Act, authorizing DOC to employ personnel to manage and inventory caves and to create an advisory council on caves. It also establishes unlawful disturbance of caves, removal of natural resources or littering a cave to be a Class A misdemeanor.

Sponsored by Reps. Stephens, Davis, Ewing, Hoffman, Vinson, Hallock, Pullen, Friedrich, House Minority Leader Philip and Sen. Dunn, the bill will take effect Jan. 1, 1986.

Insurance Exchange, cancelled its policy with the county July 22. The county had paid GIE a premium of \$270,000 for the canceled liability policy. The Lloyd's policy premium is \$140,000, but provides less coverage.

THERE IS a \$50,000-per-claim deductible until the county pays a total deductible of \$235,000 during a one-year period.

After satisfying the deductible, Lloyd's is responsible for a maximum of \$250,000 for liability claims and a maximum of \$500,000 for each property damage claim.

McLean said his committee has not decided just how much coverage the county will seek. That depends, he said, on the cost of insurance premiums.

McLean said the committee is seeking "layers of excess coverage over and above what we obtained from Lloyd's of London from them or someone else."

The county's former insurance provider, Governmental Inter-

STATE FARM INSURANCE CO.

THREE ARRESTED SUNDAY AFTER APARTMENT INCIDENT

Three persons were arrested by police Aug. 19 after they allegedly were involved in a fight at the home of Colin Harris and Deane Hinchliff, 4105 Braden Ave. The residents told police the group forced open the front door of their apartment and a fight ensued. Two closet doors were damaged in the fight.

Arrested were Leroy F. Arnette, 24, of 2045 13th St., Madison, who was charged with two counts of battery and criminal damage to property; Mark A. Dixon, 22, of 2020 Lee Ave. who was charged with battery and criminal damage to property; and Leannette Cheung, 18, of 2045 13th St., Madison, who was charged with battery and criminal damage to property.

Cheung and Dixon were released on \$100 cash bond and Arnette was released on \$150 cash bond.

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In the Summer Carousel program Aug. 10 at the Granite City Township Hall, Joshua Patrick Hildebrand, son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael (Pat) Hildebrand, 1713 Garfield Ave., also placed second in novelty talent. He is a first grade student at St. Elizabeth School.

## APA offers free pets to seniors, seeks doghouses

The Granite City Association for the Protection of Animals has announced that selected dogs and all cats that have been spayed or neutered will be free to senior citizens until the end of September.

Jane Range, president of the APA, said seniors may adopt animals that have not been spayed or neutered if they accept the monetary responsibility for having the surgery performed.

Range said the APA is recommending that seniors adopt adult cats rather than kittens.

"Older cats are more reserved and they are gentler," she said. "Pets make good companions; they offer physical and mental benefits and much pleasure."

The APA requires seniors to adopt the animals in person and seniors must meet adoption requirements. Animal shelter officials are also seeking donations of doghouses in good condition. The houses will be used for shelter residents.

APA volunteers will pick up the donated items.

For more information about the senior adoption program or doghouse donations, interested persons may call the shelter at 331-7030, or Range at 877-7073.

## JEWELRY ITEMS STOLEN

Several items of jewelry were taken recently from a house at 2312 St. Clair Ave.

Viola Byrne, of that address, said the jewelry was kept in a small box on top of a chest of drawers.

Missing items included a combined engagement and wedding ring, a white gold ring with three diamond chips and three birth stones, a white gold Eastern Star ring with a diamond chip and five Eastern Star stones, a white gold ring with two pearls, two other white gold rings, one yellow gold Solow watch and one yellow gold necklace with a chain.

The value of the items is unknown.

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## Lift stations to be upgraded

By SUSANNE INDELICATO  
Staff writer

MADISON COUNTY — Three lift stations controlling water and sewage flow will be upgraded for the Madison County Sanitary Sewer Service Area 1.

A \$15,879 bid from General Refrigeration and Plumbing of Alton was approved by the Madison County Board Wednesday.

Sewage lift stations contain the pumps and meters that control water and sewage flow into the major system. Nine pumps must be installed and two generators are to be modified.

## ONE PERSON INJURED IN 3-VEHICLE CRASH

Jackie L. Cox, 11, 22, of 2423 Lincoln Ave. was injured Aug. 19 when his car was involved in a three-vehicle accident on West Pontoon Road at Merson Avenue.

The driver of the second car was Bobby J. Jones, 49, of 3208 Harvard Place. The driver of the third vehicle, a van, was Vicki L. Wilson, 20, of East St. Louis.

According to police reports, Jones was stopped in traffic on West Pontoon, with Cox's vehicle behind his. Wilson saw the two cars stopped, applied her brakes and skidded on the pavement, resulting in the collision.

## GC MAN ARRESTED

Lawrence E. Gerzits, 32, of 100 Briarhaven Drive, was arrested by Granite City police Aug. 18 and charged with disorderly conduct and criminal trespass to property. Gerzits was arrested after he allegedly was yelling obscenities at passing cars in the St. Elizabeth Medical Center parking lot, 2100 Washington Ave. When asked to leave the premises, he refused to leave.

The improvements are needed due to the wear and tear on the equipment, it was explained.

The County Board also approved a resolution allowing the Tri-City Park Tabernacle parsonage, 2521 Buenger Ave., to annex into the Special Service Area 1.

## BATTERS COURT CLERK

Randy Smith, 27, 2915 Roosevelt Ave. was arrested Aug. 20 at the Circuit Court of Granite City on charges of battery and disorderly conduct.

Smith went to the court to pay a traffic ticket he had received in Venice. The ticket was apparently of old stock and said the fine would be \$35, but Crystal Hale, court clerk, told him it would be \$50.

Smith became angry and tried to take the paperwork away from Hale, squeezing her hand and leaving a mark; reports said.

He was arrested at his home and later released on \$152 bond.

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